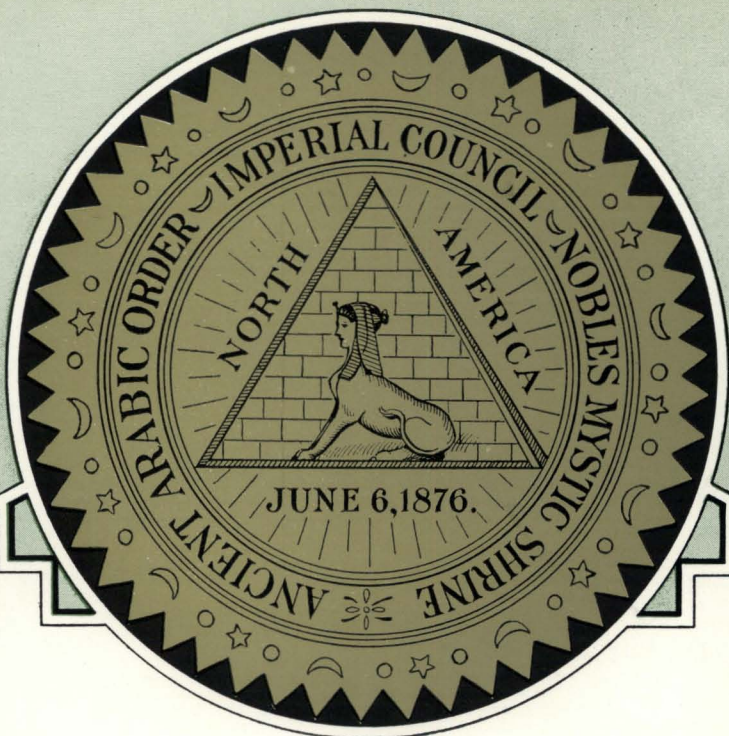


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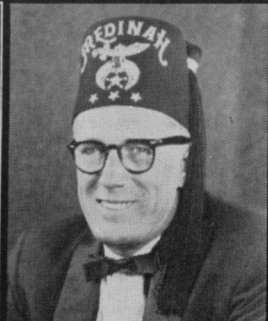
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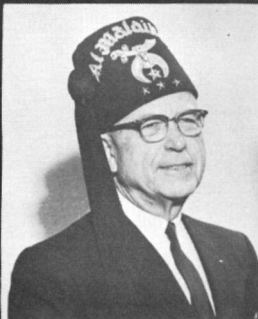
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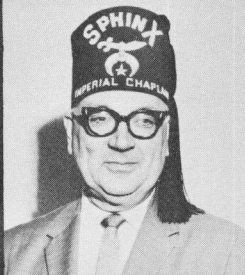
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HELD AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK

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HAROLD C. CLOSE
Imperial Potentate Presiding
90th Session



REV. RUSSEL E. CAMP
Imperial Chaplain

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Ninetieth Annual Session

IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER

OF THE

NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA

(Iowa Corporation)



The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America, an Iowa Corporation, was held in the City of New York, county and State of New York, on the dates of July 21, 22, 23 and 24, 1954, in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton in New York City.

The Call for the Annual Session of 1964, dated June 15, 1964, being General Orders No. 4, Series 1963-1964, and signed by Harold C. Close, Imperial Potentate, and George M. Saunders, Imperial Recorder, announcing the holding of the Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America in the New York Hilton Hotel in New York City, New York, July 21, 22, 23 and 24, 1964, was duly mailed to each member of the Imperial Council.

The Opening Ceremonies of the Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America were held in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel in New York City, New York, July 21, 1964, at 2:40 P.M.

OPENING CEREMONIES

Tuesday, July 21, 1964

Two-Forty o'Clock P.M.

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: We will have the Invocation from our Imperial Chaplain, Rev. Russell E. Camp.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

IMPERIAL CHAPLAIN RUSSELL E. CAMP: Let us pray. O Thou Righteous God of all men and of all nations, Father of our spirit, Creator of all that we know as good and true and beautiful, Who has inspired in common men such as ourselves the vision of a better world than that which we have humbly contrived, we bow in humility before Thee this day. In solemn purpose we are met here to deliberate and decide those things that will be in accord with Thy Holy Will.

Give us Thy Faith, O God, in these firm and holy foundations that have resisted time, that in a day what we all value most seems to be in the mercy of those we value least that we may have courage and fortitude of our fathers who lived only in the fear of God and kept his Commandments.

Therefore we pray, O God, some of the thoughts beyond our ears and eyes, for our breath is Thy Life and Goodness that seeks Thee and is in the hand that does a kindness. Lift us, O God, beyond ourselves into communion with Thee that Thy Patience and Strength, Understanding and Love, may so permeate our hearts that we shall see beyond ourselves into the eyes of a little child, the framework of a crippled child and a burned child. Love us, O God, and keep us in Thy Holy Name. Amen.

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: Color Squad, present the Colors.

(The Kismet Temple Color Guard presented the Colors.)

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: We will now have the Anthems of the United States, Canada and Mexico.

(The Anthems of the United States, Canada and Mexico were rendered by the Sphinx Temple Band.)

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: We will now have the Shriners' Pledge of Allegiance.

(The Assembly joined in the Shriners' Pledge of Allegiance.)

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: Color Squad, post the National Flags.

(The Kismet Temple Color Guard posted the National Flags.)

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, ladies and gentlemen. Before I proceed with the proceedings I wish to take this opportunity to make a few remarks. When our Imperial Sir had planned to come to this city a number of years ago he was looking for perfection and everybody tried hard to deliver this perfection. Everything was going wonderfully this morning until about two minutes to eleven and then ran into a snafu. I am captain of the ship and have a good crew but it is all my fault. I broke the wires down and spoke to the Imperial Potentate and he decided to stop the parade. I came back to the line and was never so humiliated in my life with three or four streets deep without a Noble in them. Immediately the sun broke through and troops came out of Heaven. We resumed the parade at eleven o'clock. The parade is still going on now at the present time and will finish on schedule. Imperial Sir, my humble apologies for the delay.

At this time I was supposed to introduce—I feel better now—the Acting Mayor of the City of New York but he regrets he cannot be here because he is stuck in traffic. (*Laughter*)

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: He just showed up.

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: Thank you. The Hon. Paul E. Bragdon, representing Mayor Robert F. Wagner of the City of New York. *(Applause)*

HON. PAUL E. BRAGDON: Thank you. I am the Assistant to Mayor Wagner and a very poor substitute for the Mayor who would like to be here to greet you this afternoon. I was going to say he was in Geneva, Switzerland, for an international labor conference dealing with the problems of automation and that would be true but, as a matter of fact, he is on the way back to New York to deal with some of our pressing problems but will not arrive until this afternoon. So I am a poor substitute for the Mayor of this great city but if one has to be selected maybe I am the best because most of you come from out of town and I am a native State of Mainer and married to a girl from Minnesota. We came here and found it not only a nice place to visit but also to live.

New York City has always taken great pride in the fact that our City was the birthplace of your Order. It has been a long time, 94 years to be exact, since Dr. Walter M. Fleming and twelve others planted the seed that has grown into the mighty organization you have today. For those of you who have been away for a long time, you will note that New York City, too, has grown quite a bit since 1870. Our population is now almost eight times what it was in the days of the founding of the Shriners. But the Shriners have done even better than New York City. You have grown 64,000 times bigger than you were at the time of founding.

The good works that Shriners have done cannot be measured by any existing yardstick. Not only the 17 hospitals that they now support across the length and breadth of our land, but the many hours of joy they have given to countless millions of youngsters are numbered among their accomplishments. The three burns hospitals that are presently under construction are another fine service, among many, many others, that you have provided for the handicapped and disadvantaged children of our nation.

William B. Mellish once said that the Shriners' motto should be "Pleasure without intemperance, hospitality without rudeness, and jollity without coarseness." To this we must surely add: "Charity without fanfare."

I understand that there are 150,000 of you here in our City for this meeting. It is fitting, I think, that the largest city in America should be host to the largest Shrine gathering ever held. I hope that in your stay here you will take full advantage of our "Summer Festival." Shriners have been known not only for their charity but for their love of fun and frolic. I expect you will find that you came to the right place. I promise you that there is more pleasure, satisfaction and edification here in New York City waiting for those who seek them than in any place else in the world.

I wish you well in your deliberations and in your other activities. Thank you. *(Applause)*

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: At this time I would like to introduce and present to you the Potentate of our great Temple here, Mecca Temple, the co-host for this convention. It gives me great pleasure to present to you our great Potentate Alfred J. Cawse, Jr. *(Applause)*

NOBLE ALFRED J. CAWSE, JR.: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, distinguished guests,

Illustrious Sirs, ladies and Nobles. It is my pleasure, as Potentate of Mecca Temple, to welcome you all here to New York City. Just this morning I was down to City Hall, took my band down there to play, and I met the Deputy Mayor, the Hon. Paul Tremaine, and saw the problem that he had and I know he couldn't get up here. I am happy to see the Mayor's Assistant who came here because I, too, am a public servant in this city.

Together with the great Kismet Temple and its wonderful Illustrious Potentate George Harken, we bid you welcome. If there is anything we can do for you we will be happy to do so and please call on us. Have a wonderful time in New York. Thank you. (*Applause*)

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: Thank you, Illustrious Sir. At this time I would like to present and introduce to you the co-host Potentate from across the river and the great Temple, Kismet Temple, George Harken. Illustrious George. (*Applause*)

NOBLE GEORGE A. HARKEN: Imperial Potentate, Imperial Sirs, Illustrious Sirs, Representatives, ladies and gentlemen and friends. I also just came from a band concert tendered by Kismet's band on the steps of our Borough Hall in our great Borough of Brooklyn, and had the pleasure there of meeting the Borough President, the Hon. Abe Stark, and fortunately our band was able to play. We come from the Borough of Peace. (*Laughter*)

Speaking of peace I want you all to know that it certainly has been a pleasure for me as Potentate and for the many hundreds of men behind the scenes to work with and for this convention. The attitude of Mecca Temple has been inspiring to Kismet and I hope that the same in reverse is true. Likewise of course I am most pleased and happy that we can be your hosts, you can be our guests, and certainly it is our only hope that you will enjoy yourselves while you are here and that we, the Representatives, can get ourselves a lot of work done during this convention.

Thank you for coming. Enjoy your stay. We love having you here. (*Applause*)

DIRECTOR GENERAL BRUNDAGE: Thank you, Illustrious George.

Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives, Nobles and ladies all. Welcome to the Ninetieth Annual Imperial Council Session of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. It is indeed a pleasure to have you all here in New York to enjoy what we hope to be one of the greatest Imperial Council Sessions. New York City has opened its doors and hearts to us. It is our sincere desire that all of you make yourselves at home and avail yourselves of the hospitality of this great city. It is an added pleasure that many of you will have the opportunity to visit the World's Fair which is in process in New York City.

All of us look forward to these occasions. Perhaps for some it means greeting old friends and for others meeting new ones. For all of us it means the chance to fulfill the Shrine's philosophy of fun and fellowship. Most of all the Session affords the opportunity to plan for the future. It is during this yearly session that the heart and soul of the Shrine becomes a reality. We have tried to arrange everything to assure you a pleasant and profitable time while you are in New York. More importantly we have tried to create a climate that can add significantly to the business at hand for it is the business that transpires at these sessions that adds so much to the Shrine's noble purpose. For all of you who have been chosen to

come to New York to help make the Ninetieth Imperial Council Session a success we can only say this is the true meaning of service and brotherhood.

Now it is time to get down to business and make you familiar with the gentlemen up here and allow me to introduce them to you.

At this time it is a distinct pleasure and privilege to present to you the Imperial Potentate of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, from Sphinx Temple, Hartford, Connecticut, Imperial Sir Harold C. Close. (*Standing applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you very much, Director General Brundage.

Imperial Sirs, Illustrious Sirs, ladies, Representatives to this Ninetieth Imperial Council Session. This is indeed a memorable occasion for the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Our Ninetieth Imperial Council Session finds the Shrine larger, more dynamic, more useful to humanity than ever before. We meet here in this great city at a time when all the world is seeking signs of hope for mankind, signs that free men can meet the challenge, the challenges of mankind's needs. We as Representatives of the Shrine meet here to make plans for continuing and broadening its great work, clear demonstrations of what free men of good will can accomplish. I greet you and call for combining sound reflection on our great responsibilities with the enjoyment and fellowship we will enjoy.

Nobles, I convey the greetings of your Imperial Divan and its regard for your vital role here.

I would now like to present our distinguished guests.

I am happy at this time to present the Associate Grand Sovereign of the Red Cross of Constantine, Earl L. Eaton. (*Applause*)

Representing the Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council 33° Northern Jurisdiction, Herbert N. Faulkner. (*Applause*)

I know we are honored and certainly I am honored by having my own Grand Master of Masons in the State of Connecticut here. It is a pleasure for me at this time to present to you the M.W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the State of Connecticut, Irving Emerson Partridge. (*Standing applause*)

M.W. BRO. IRVING EMERSON PARTRIDGE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Nobles and friends. Up in the neighboring State of Connecticut where I come from we have been experiencing a dry spell. The spell was broken a week ago Saturday when we had a terrific rainstorm and as the storm came to a close we noticed, as we looked into the eastern heavens, a beautiful rainbow formed there. As it began to form and as the beautiful colors came out and arched over the heavens part of the rainbow faded but there were three colors that seemed to stand out, the red, the yellow and the green. The other colors seemed to rather fade away.

As I sat there on the porch looking at the rainbow and saw those three colors, the red, the yellow and the green, it immediately brought to my mind the Shrine because those are our colors. As I sat there thinking about it I couldn't help but remember the wonderful things that this organization has done over the years. We are an organization dedicated to the service of others and we are mighty proud, I am sure, every one of us when we hear the song sung, as some of the Chanters

did in the parade this morning, "It's Great To Be A Shriner," and that is the way we feel.

You know the structure of Freemasonry is sometimes likened to a great oak tree. The roots and the trunk are your Symbolic Freemasonry but as the trunk and the tree grow and expand and the various limbs develop and the foliage comes out those are the various Appendant Orders of our great Masonic Fraternity. That is the way I feel about the Shrine. It is the organization that seems to encompass all of these great objectives for charity and relief to others and I can say very frankly, Nobles, I am proud to be a Shriner.

On this particular occasion I am most happy to be here representing our Grand Lodge, to convey our felicitations and best wishes to your Imperial Potentate, a member of our Grand Lodge, and, Imperial Sir, we bring you our best greetings, our congratulations and felicitations and sincere hope that you have a most successful session. Thank you for your hospitality. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you very much, M.W. Grand Master Partridge.

Again we are honored by having the M.W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York as our guest. At this time I would like to present M.W. Bro. Clarence J. Henry. (*Standing applause*)

M.W. BRO. CLARENCE J. HENRY: Illustrious Imperial Potentate, Illustrious Past Imperial Potentates, members of the Imperial Divan, my valued colleague, the Grand Master of Connecticut, the Grand Master of Massachusetts, the Grand Master of Pennsylvania, and the members of this great Imperial Session. My mission, of course, is to bestow the blessings and to convey the compliments of the Grand Lodge of the State of New York upon this Session and I hasten contentedly and cordially to do just that; also to join with the Governor of this State and the Mayor, unhappily absent, in welcoming you. While I am at the point of welcome, if you will forgive a selfserving approach, may I welcome you also, my Brethren, to the Masonic Center at the World's Fair. We are mighty proud of what we have constructed out there. We feel that it is tastefully done within the limits of the dignity of this great Fraternity and that it is emblematic of every last one of us who are privileged to be associated in this Craft. It is only a starting point. I am hopeful, and I have stated many times the last three months, that this will not be regarded as a terminal but from this point on we in this craft will continue to make the world aware of the great history and the great promise of Freemasonry.

I was enchanted to read the report of your Public Relations Committee in the Shrine where you have endeavored to do this. I was even happier to talk with your fine Chief Rabban, Barney Collins, earlier today and learn from him his deep and lively interest that Masonry should now take its light out from under the bushel and display its wares widely that all the world might thereby profit.

I think the predicate for all this is the pronouncement of a great Mason, dead this month, probably productive of more deep judicial pronouncements than any other person this nation has even seen and yet also one of our finest Masonic writers and historians, Dean Roscoe Pound of the Harvard Law School. Dean Pound, my Brethren, had this to say. "Freemasonry has more to offer the 20th century than the 20th century has to offer Freemasonry." It is a pronouncement to be marked when you view this world of skidding morality, tobogganing sense

of responsibility, wherein unhappily so many places they have yet to have true understanding. We of this Craft with our experience and the great lessons presented to us in an impeccable approach at the foot of our Altars derived from the greatest light you and I will ever encounter, surely the words of Dean Pound must strike deep significance in the hearts of every Mason. I have said to the Grand Lodge of the State of New York, "Enlist the support and active assistance of our sister Grand Lodges and let us present to this sorely distressed world the example of this great Craft from which that world may profit in great manner in the end."

Illustrious Imperial Potentate, I am thoroughly grateful to you and so is the Grand Lodge of this State, for the opportunity and the privilege of addressing this great Imperial Session just for these brief moments. We do enthusiastically welcome all of you. May your stay here, in New York be entertaining and may your Session be completely—and I am sure it will be—profitable. Thank you, Sir. (*Standing applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you very much, M.W. Grand Master. Certainly we are honored, as I said earlier, by your presence this afternoon.

Now I would like to present to those assembled our Past Imperial Potentates.

First I would start with our Past Imperial Recorder, Frederick Wilken. (*Applause*)

Presenting the Past Imperial Potentates, and may I ask that you withhold your applause until we have concluded. Past Imperial Potentates in their order of service.

1962-1963, Imperial Sir George M. Klepper.

1961-1962, Imperial Sir Marshall M. Porter.

1960-1961, Imperial Sir George A. Mattison, Jr.

1958-1959, Imperial Sir George E. Stringfellow.

1957-1958, Imperial Sir Thomas W. Melham.

1956-1957, Imperial Sir Gerald D. Crary.

1955-1956, Imperial Sir Walter C. Guy.

1953-1954, Imperial Sir Remmie L. Arnold.

1952-1953, Imperial Sir Harvey A. Beffa.

1951-1952, Imperial Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr.

1949-1950, Past Imperial Potentate and Chairman of the Board of Trustees for Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, Harold Lloyd.

Let us give them a big hand. (*Applause*)

At the present time I would like to present your present Imperial Divan. May I again request that you wait until we have concluded before you applaud.

Imperial Chaplain Rev. Russell E. Camp.

Imperial Outer Guard C. P. MacGregor.

Imperial Captain of the Guard Aubrey G. Graham.

Imperial Marshal Edgar L. Turner. He may be out at the parade yet. I think some of these are doing other duties outside. It may be true also of Imperial Second Cemermonial Master J. Worth Baker and Imperial First Ceremonial Master Chester A. Hogan.

Our Imperial Recorder, one of the greatest right arms any Imperial Potentate ever had, George M. Saunders.

Our Imperial Treasurer, Past Imperial Potentate Leonard P. Steuart.

Imperial Oriental Guide Thomas F. Seay.

Imperial High Priest and Prophet Orville F. Rush.

Imperial Assistant Rabban Charles E. Merrill.

Imperial Chief Rabban Barney W. Collins.

Deputy Imperial Potentate O. Carlyle Brock.

Let's welcome them. (Applause)

It is a great privilege for me to acknowledge, on behalf of this Imperial Council, these gracious greetings of welcome that we have listened to. This is a great Fraternity born out of the great Masonic movement that has nurtured the spirit and the minds of millions of fine men for centuries. The blood ties of the Shrine and Masonic leadership contribute to the ability of both to serve. This mutual respect and cooperation is a mark of fine men dedicated to glorious objectives that go beyond personal interest. We are united in a brotherhood for the glory of God and the benefit of mankind. Let us put aside all other motives and aspirations. Let us seek how we may help each other to advance our worthy purpose.

It is significant that we are holding our Ninetieth Imperial Council Session in the city where the Shrine was born. We can see here accented the sense of great change and expectations for the future that mark today's world. The realities of this city exceed what man could dream in 1872 and the years since the small group of Masons met here to form the Shrine for fun and service, this organizations has grown in progress far beyond what any of them could have guessed. As we look to the future we can only be sure that the changes in our physical world and the organization of Shrinedom will be even more rapid and meaningful than they have been in the past. We have this great assemblage in this great city because men dreamed and planned and worked to bring them about.

We can assure progress in the future only if we dream and plan and work to bring about progress. There is no choice in the ways of mankind in 1964. We either steer our course forward with wisdom and courage or the inevitable tide of change will overwhelm our edifices and our institutions. We all have a choice that leaves no choice. We must act as true men and strong or we will sink beneath our weakness.

This is a memorable Session. The pages we write here and our actions will be the history our successors will read in the future. Let us be sure they will read in veneration and respect as we read of the works that went before us. Let us be sure they will say of us that these were men of resolve and wisdom and courage who took leadership for the good of the Shrine and humanity.

Nobles, in your name I humbly acknowledge the greetings and good wishes that have welcomed us here. We are assembled in solemn session.

Now I want to express my appreciation to all of those in attendance at these opening ceremonies. I am going to ask for a ten or fifteen minute recess to permit our visitors who are not members of our Fraternity to leave the hall. We will set up our business session and I would like, if possible, all of the Repre-

sentatives to the Imperial Council to remain here on this floor. Any other Shriners, Nobles of the Order, are welcome to remain. I would request you to take seats in the gallery. You will have a wonderful view there.

A ten to fifteen minute recess is now declared. (Applause)

(A recess was taken at 3:05 P.M., during which time the ladies and non-Shriners retired.)

AFTERNOON SESSION
TUESDAY, JULY 21, 1964
THREE TWENTY-FIVE O'CLOCK P.M.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, if we may come to order now.

Imperial Sirs, Representatives to this Imperial Council. Waiving all further forms and ceremonies I now declare the Ninetieth Annual Session of this Imperial Council open for business.

The first order of business will be the report of the Committee on Credentials. The Chair recognizes the Chairman of the Committee, Noble W. Howard Millington.

NOBLE W. HOWARD MILLINGTON: (*Reading*)

Imperial Sir, Members of the Imperial Divan, and Representatives of this Session of the Imperial Council:

Your Committee on Credentials begs leave to report: credentials in proper form have been filed with the Imperial Recorder as to the following named Nobles, and your Committee would recommend that they be received as Representatives of their respective Temples and recognized as active members of this Imperial Council.

I will not read all the names but will give you the total figures and the names will be on file with the Imperial Recorder.

MEMBERSHIP RECAPITULATION

Representatives Ad Vitam	12
Emeriti Members	47
Representatives-at-Large	13
Elected Representatives	663
Total	735

(Here follows the list of the entitled Representatives.)

HEPRESENTARIVES AD VITAM

Frederick Wilken	Gerald D. Crary
Harold Lloyd	Thomas W. Melham
Robert G. Wilson, Jr.	George E. Stringfellow
Harvey A. Beffa	George A. Mattison, Jr.
Remmie L. Arnold	Marshall M. Porter
Walter C. Guy	George M. Klepper

EMERITI MEMBERS WITH RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES

Richard G. Taylor	Arthue E. Armitage, Sr.	Howard P. Foley
Louis Chackes	Leslie H. Swan	Emilio D'Acosta
Munger T. Ball	George C. Foster	Clarence A. Lay
Charles H. Lembke	Willard P. Lombard	Quinn Glover
Wm. B. Falconer	Wm. K. Converse	Robert T. Gow
J. B. Whittington	Lincoln G. Kelly	Edward J. Scudder
William F. Quebe	Clarence E. Werner	Everett H. Trunk
Ernest C. Hueter	Herman L. Engelhardt	Fred Bryant
J. Harry Hopffgarten	John Vesey	Clarence M. Sheasley
Carl H. Pierson	Frederick A. Nicholson	William H. Knowlton
W. Clyde Oliver	Henry P. Bronkie	Edwin F. Baertschi
J. Henry Curdes	Joe T. Mizell, Jr.	R. W. Vetter
F. Lawrence Bulfinch	Carl A. Rahn	Lewis S. Parsons
A. Elmer Raithel	George F. Sengel	Melvin T. Blassingham
John A. Walden	Walter G. Seeger	S. Ken Briggs
Harvey B. Leggee	Charles G. White	

REPRESENTATIVES-AT-LARGE

Harold C. Close	George M. Saunders
O. Carlyle Brock	Chester A. Hogan
Barney W. Collins	J. Worth Baker
Charles E. Merrill	Edgar L. Turner
Orville F. Hush	Aubrey G. Graham
Thomas F. Seay	C. P. MacGregor
Leonard P. Steuart	

ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES

AAD TEMPLE—George A. Borgeson, Raymond H. Erickson, Palmer N. Hegvold, James P. Crawford
AAHMES TEMPLE—John G. Kelly, Fred E. Anderson, William G. MacKay, Robert H. Fouke
ABBA TEMPLE—Jewell Boone, Ralph H. Thurman, J. S. "Bud" Womack, Jr., Thomas E. Hoiles
ABDALLAH TEMPLE—Don V. Williams, Donald E. Schulze, Howard O. Jobes, John W. Mullinix
ABOU BEN ADHEM TEMPLE—W. Harold Owen, Edmund C. Forehand, B. J. Hart, Dru D. Salveter
ABOU SAAD TEMPLE—Ralph K. Frangioni, William H. Munyon, Harland V. Howard, Robert T. Russell
ABU BEKR TEMPLE—Richard Dove, Ralph Heaton, Robert Whiteside, Denver Krall
ACCA TEMPLE—Archer B. Gay, William C. Seibert, Harry J. Brown, William W. Hitchens
AFIFI TEMPLE—Harold W. Meyer, Walter Hogan, John D. Cochran, Cecil B. Walrath

- AHMED TEMPLE—Kenneth E. Bakkum, Harry W. Gjelsteen, Robert L. Bouschor, Brodie C. Westen
- AINAD TEMPLE—Wyatt Rawlings, Francis D. Conner, Lloyd E. Turnbull, Jesse C. Nichols, Jr.
- AKDAR TEMPLE—Howard Cowan, Charles H. Rosenberger, E. Tom Williams, Perry W. Ward
- ALADDIN TEMPLE—Earl J. Brothers, Homer C. Helser, Benjamin L. Collins, Clarence W. England
- AL AZHAR TEMPLE—W. Ralph Pepper, S. J. Parkinson, E. J. "Ted" Brookes, Ralph Nelson
- AL BAHR TEMPLE—Robert "Bud" James, George E. Bryans, Harold M. Long, Delavan J. Dickson
- AL BEDOO TEMPLE—L. David Coon, L. Wayne Hageman, Harold J. Fraser, Fred M. Bourke
- ALCAZAR TEMPLE—Vernon K. Shriner, William E. Goodwin, Stephen P. Riales, R. Pep Powell
- AL CHYMIA TEMPLE—Richard S. Guenther, George R. Holley, Isaac M. Bilsky, Rufus E. Craven
- ALEE TEMPLE—George E. Oliver, J. Curtis Lewis, Jr., J. H. Jarrott, Jr., Rochell B. Davis
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Respectfully submitted and signed by all but two members of the Credentials Committee. Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of the report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion and second. Are there remarks? Hearing none, all those in favor of the adoption of the report say, "Aye." Opposed. It is adopted.

I now recognize the Imperial Recorder for the purpose of electing Representatives present as members of the Colorado Corporation.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir, I move that the elected Representatives of the Iowa Corporation for the current year be made and elected Representatives of the Colorado Corporation for the ensuing term. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Regularly moved and seconded that all Representatives of the Iowa Corporation registered and present be elected Representatives to the Colorado Corporation for the ensuing term. All those in favor signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. It is voted.

I would like to now proclaim this Session is open for business to be transacted in both the Colorado and the Iowa Corporation and it will remain open until the Session is adjourned.

We have been officially advised of two vacancies existing in Committees and I would like to fill them at this time.

Past Imperial Potentate William H. Woodfield, Jr., who was appointed Chairman of the Committee on Transactions of Imperial Officers, has advised us he could not be present. The Imperial Potentate has appointed the Potentate of Murat Temple, Alex M. Clark, to fill that position on the Committee.

A representative and Emeritus Member, I believe, although I may be wrong on that, Dr. Claude Squires from Oasis Temple advised us that he, too, was unable to be present. He has been a member of the Dispensations and Charters Committee. The Imperial Potentate has appointed the Potentate of Almas Temple, William J. Mileham, to fill that vacancy.

Does the Imperial Recorder have any other vacancies?

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Nothing on the Imperial Recorder's desk, Imperial Sir.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next order of business is the report of the Imperial Potentate. I would like to announce that immediately following the conclusion of my report, copies of this will be available. They are here in envelopes addressed to each Temple. If one Representative from each Temple that is present will come up and take the envelope and I hope you will assume the responsibility for seeing that the other Representatives from your Temple receive a copy.

(Reading) To My Fellow Representatives:

The past year has been marked by a number of major advances for the Shrine. The Imperial Council, the leadership of the Temples, the staff and the specialists who assist them can review the year with justifiable pride and a sense of having set the direction for continuing advancement.

Notable among the signs of progress are these:

1. There was a substantial increase in membership, with a net gain of 6,125 Nobles in 1963. This sharply reversed the decreasing additions to membership that have marked recent years. It reflects in part the new creative and well-organized membership program that was initiated in the summer of 1963, and bodes well for continued growth if similarly progressive approaches are taken to future membership requirements.

2. An expanded program of information and public relations for the Shrine has already focused greater attention on the good work of the organization, both among the general public and within Shrinedom. Our public relations firm and the new public relations department in the headquarters office are functioning well.

3. Increased communications with the Temples and the Representatives have given them better knowledge and understanding of what can be accomplished both at the local level and in carrying forward the needs and objectives of the Shrine as a whole.

4. The first replacement of one of our orthopedic hospitals took place in St. Louis, with dedication of a completely modern institution. Plans are under way for development of a replacement for the Honolulu unit. Improvement and re-modeling have been completed or are under way at the Chicago, Portland, Spokane, Springfield, Twin Cities and Greenville hospitals.

5. Interim operations of the Shriners Burns Institutes have been established at Galveston, Cincinnati and Boston, where early experience is being gained in this new and difficult field, and care is being provided to child victims of burns. Construction has begun on the Institute building at Galveston and is scheduled for completion in the summer of 1965.

6. Systematic attention to the changing and growing requirements of the hospitals has improved the fiscal operations and the general efficiency.

THE WAY TO FURTHER PROGRESS

Every organization constantly faces the choice between stagnation and decay, or change and progress. There can be no future except through leadership that anticipates and points the way to the changes that time and circumstances make necessary. It is the sign of a healthy organization that its leadership can consider changes it believes would be beneficial, and that these suggested changes are freely and thoroughly discussed and considered by the membership. The changes that have been brought about by the Imperial Council in recent years—the Burns Institutes, the replacements and modernization of the orthopedic hospitals, the new membership and public relations programs—are proving their value today. In an era when all areas of life are faced with rapid and sometimes drastic changes,

it is inevitable that every organization must constantly consider what changes are needed to keep it not only abreast but ahead of the trends.

MATTERS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

Accordingly, several advancements or studies of potential advancements should now be considered by the Representatives and will be presented for your consideration at this Imperial Council Session.

Since this is a non-profit organization, the only motivation for the leadership is attaining the satisfaction of service to the membership and accomplishment of objectives. Officers contribute their time to guide the course of the organization. When their observations lead to proposals to come before the Council, their judgment is based on what they feel will help the Shrine as a whole. Unlike directors of a business corporation, they have nothing personally to gain from their recommendations.

The considerations that will be put before the Representatives at this Convention are exceptionally vital. They include:

1. Modernization of the Imperial Council budget structure.

Both the scope of the Shrine's operations and the costs involved in all functions have grown very substantially since the per capita payment was set at 50 cents in 1930-34 years ago! This is a pattern that is familiar to all of us in our own business and private lives. Although our membership has grown somewhat in recent years, the total income available to meet the growing needs and costs has become more and more inadequate. The Imperial Divan has set goals for the future welfare of the Shrine. To provide needed services and keep up with costs, it is necessary to modernize the per capita payment structure to add 50c per year per member. This represents to each Shriner less than one cent a week; yet multiplied by our entire membership, it will bring far more benefits to the members in services and growth, and place the Imperial Council in a sound financial position for years to come.

I have discussed this financial picture with more than half of the imperial Council Representatives I have had an opportunity to meet during my travels this year, and you have received a booklet on the financial facts and my letter explaining the need for this increase in assessments. It is the most urgent order of business before the Imperial Council Session that this increase in the per capita tax be approved.

The financial reports, copies of which were mailed to all Representatives, indicate that the Iowa Corporation for the year 1963 had a net gain of \$28,440.24. However, this was attained only after the Colorado Corporation paid two-thirds of the costs of postage and board meetings and the entire cost of operating our headquarters building plus an excess of \$12,890.08, so the Iowa Corporation had no expense in connection with our headquarters building. In fact, 45% of our net gain in the Iowa Corporation came from the Colorado Corporation in rental and the pro-rated share of the total building expense.

Our average expense for the nine-year period 1955-63 inclusive was \$466,433.00, but the actual expenses of the Iowa Corporation for 1963 were \$608,132.00. Pro-

jecting our expenses ahead three years and anticipating the adoption of recommendations being made, the budget of the Iowa Corporation in 1966 will be close to \$800,000.

2. Exploration of means of modernizing our membership structure to increase substantially the number of potential new members who can be admitted to the Shrine.

Experience of the Membership Committee, even while achieving the excellent membership increase, has shown the need for modernization.

3. Modernizing the structure of the Board of Trustees of the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children.

This is now a very large corporation, with more than \$200,000,000 in assets and a budget this year, including provision for construction of the Burns Institutes, of \$23,000,000. The hospital Corporation will become larger and require increased budgets. To manage such a large operation is increasingly complex and demanding. The following steps are proposed:

- Increasing the Board of Trustees from 12 to 15 members, including 10 elected from the floor for 3-year terms. With growth of the Hospitals' work and addition of the three Burns Institutes this step will increase the talent and time that can be applied to the needs.

- Providing that no one who is a Chairman of the Board of Governors of a local hospital shall also serve on the national Board of Trustees. This will avoid possible conflicts of interest between the corporation as a whole and any one hospital. There is a great deal of talent in the Shrine, and we should call on the help of more members rather than concentrating in the hands of few individuals.

- Providing for pro-rating of hospital assessments. Present rules call for a new Noble to pay the full year's hospital assessment no matter when in the year he becomes a member. It is recommended that a new Noble's assessment be pro-rated on the basis of \$1.25 for each quarter of the year in which he is a member.

For some time I have advocated employment of a competent and trained hospital administrator as an objective for our hospitals. I am pleased that the Trustees and Directors have now taken steps to accomplish this.

Many of the Temples I have visited have asked for closer liaison between Temples and the Chicago headquarters. I am recommending to the incoming administration that this be established. There is much the Temples can gain from the facilities, experience and talents of Headquarters, and all Shriners can benefit from fuller utilization of them.

A LOOK BACK AND AHEAD

I have had the good fortune to be able to devote full attention to all Shrine matters that have been my responsibility for the past eleven years. During this time I have had the great privilege of working with some of the finest men it is anyone's opportunity to know. This year I have been gratified with the progress we were able to make, and though as always there are more things that call out to be accomplished, the path toward the future seems clear and hopeful. In maintaining my schedule this year without a cancellation, I made my visitations only

to places where there are Temples and came to know well hundreds of fellow Nobles whom I would never have had the opportunity to become friends with if the honor of this position had not been bestowed on me. My meetings and discussions with them have given me the inspiration and the assurance to report that we can all feel confident of a bright future for this great fraternity.

Recently leadership has too often been equated with compromise. Not only politics, but business and personal matters, are too often determined by what will be agreeable and easy, rather than what is right and honest. There is no glory in accomplishing the slipshod by compromise. Leadership demands leading toward real goals, not tranquilizing the membership at the price of stagnation.

I can best cite this statement made by William Saltonstall, former Principal of Phillips Exeter Academy and one of our most respected educators when he said:

"One of our human failings, as I see it, has been our admiration for the middle-of-the-roader. Certainly many of us agree that the exercise of restraint is one of the marks of the good man. But in some areas compromise is flabby and dangerous. Any person of real conviction and strength must choose one side of the road or the other.

"It would be a strange kind of education that urged us to be relatively honest, sometimes just, usually tolerant, for the most part decent! As you ready history and biography, I think you will not come to equate greatness with compromise. Rather you will find it in decisiveness, combined with charity, gentleness and justice. There will be wrong decision, of course, but as long as mistakes are recognized, the loss is far less serious than that occasioned by playing the middle of the road, setting on the fence, undecided, unconvinced, incapable of strong feeling."

How well this applies to leadership in the Shrine! We must listen to those who point the way forward as their objective judgments decree not to those who urge delay, aimless amity, compromise for the sake of placid stagnation. We must constantly strive to raise our standards; to have the courage to demand what is right, not what is expedient.

Living today calls for courage, not faceless agreeability. Leadership and courage made the Shrine great; they are indispensable to its continued greatness.

My appreciation and compliments are owed to many people who have brightened this year and lightened the load. Particularly I express appreciation to the other members of the Public Relations Committee, O. Carlyle Brock, Deputy Imperial Potentate, and Chester A. Hogan, Imperial First Ceremonial Master, for their splendid assistance in getting the expanded public relations program so well under way; to the other members of the Imperial Divan; to Imperial Sir Harold Lloyd for his leadership of the Hospital Board and Imperial Sir Harvey Beffa for his effective direction of the Burns Institute program; to Elliott Young for his distinguished service as Membership Chairman and later as Secretary to the Membership Committee; and to Stanley Garrity and Merwyn Brown for their devoted service as General Counsel and Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, respectively. I especially thank George Saunders, our Imperial Recorder, for his dedicated and exceedingly competent help at all times, often at personal sacrifice.

It is the nature of service that he who serves gains more than those who are

served. My life has been enriched with the gratifications of accomplishment and the satisfaction of making many friends. For this, I thank all Nobles who have shared brotherhood with me through the years. (*Standing applause*)

RULINGS

1963-64

During Administration of Harold C. Close

July 16, 1963

After having issued the order that all Shrine Clubs under the jurisdiction of Medinah Temple shall hereafter elect officers who are Nobles in good standing of Medinah Temple only, which met with opposition by the Aurora Area Shrine Club. Potentate Vartan requested that the Imperial Council Jurisprudence and Laws Committee consider this matter and issue their opinion.

July 27, 1963

HELD: After citing previous rulings on this same subject, the Chairman of the Jurisprudence & Laws Committee gave his opinion that the order or edict issued by Potentate Vartan was proper and within his prerogative.

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October 25, 1963

The Potentate of El Katif advised that because of flagrant violations of both Imperial Council and local laws by certain members of the Directors Staff, he disbanded the entire unit. He then endeavored to organize a new Directors Staff made up of former members of the unit which he thought would be an asset to the Temple. This new group issued an ultimatum that unless the former members were invited to rejoin, they did not choose to reorganize. The Potentate then decided the Temple would operate without a Directors Staff during his term of office.

October 29, 1963

HELD: That according to Sections 224, 225 and 230 of Imperial Council law the Potentate was within his rights in disbanding the Unit.

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December 26, 1963

A committee of members of El Bekal Temple inquired of Imperial Potentate Close whether or not the Imperial Code had been violated by the Potentate's message printed in the December issue of The El Bekalan in which the Potentate suggested and recommended a particular Noble for office.

January 2, 1964

HELD: This is a clear violation of Section 206 of the Imperial Council Code, and more particularly so since the Potentate is a lawyer and especially since the Recorder of the Temple informed the Potentate that in his opinion this was a violation. Potentate was reprimanded for his conduct as Potentate; further, the Nobles of El Bekal were admonished to disregard any suggestions or recommendation by the Potentate on behalf of any Noble for election to any office, and the Recorder was directed to read to the Nobles of the Temple at the regular meeting on January 6, before the annual election, the letter of reprimand to the Potentate.

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January 14, 1964

The attention of the Imperial Potentate was called to a paragraph appearing in the

publication of the Old West Shrine Club (a Shrine Club under the jurisdiction of Al Malaikah Temple). This item brought to the attention of the Club members, the annual election to be held at Al Malaikah Temple and suggested that all be present to vote for one of their charter (and dues-paying) members, the then Chief Rabbah, Mark T. Gates, stating "Noble Mark needs our support because some other group is trying to drum up a ringer."

January 24, 1964

HELD: The paragraph mentioned above is a clear violation of Section 206 of the Code and should it be determined that this article influenced the election or had any bearing on the results, the election would be declared null and void.

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The Imperial Potentate was aware of the past practice in Sphinx Temple of requiring petitioners to appear before a "screening committee" and answer questions with respect to their religious faith, which had been held by the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, under date of June 3, 1963, to be contrary to Shrine laws. The Imperial Potentate issued a Special Order to Sphinx Temple instructing them to cease and desist from improper questioning of petitioners prior to their being balloted upon. A copy of the Opinion of the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee was attached. A special committee was created by the Imperial Potentate to investigate the matter of possible collusion in balloting on candidates' petitions. The results of the balloting at two meetings during the spring or summer of 1963 were made available and examined, together with the statements of a number of Nobles of Sphinx Temple. Based upon the information known and available to the Imperial Potentate, he suspended from membership in Sphinx Temple for the period commencing with the receipt of his notice and ending when his successor is elected and installed at the end of the 1964 session of the Imperial Council, Francis H. Stancliff, Recorder; John Jepson, Past Potentate; and William Hunter, Past Potentate. Appeals from such suspensions have been taken to the Grievances and Appeals Committee.

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On May 4, 1964, the Imperial Potentate instructed the Potentate and Recorder of Medinah Temple to remove from the Temple rolls the name of Walter H. Vartan, because of his suspension from the Scottish Rite on January 25, 1964, and his suspension from Evanston Commandery, No. 58, on April 21, 1964, since the Imperial Potentate was not aware of any appeals from such suspension by Noble Vartan.

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June 3, 1964

The Imperial Potentate received a request from Charles A. Harris, Past Potentate of Sudan Temple, for a clarification of Article XXIX, Sec. 252, Membership in Temples. Past Potentate Harris had ruled, at a business meeting of the Temple, that a written objection, signed by three members of the Temple, had the same status as passing the ballot box a second time, because there were still three names signed to the objection. The Jurisprudence & Laws Committee of Sudan Temple argued that a written objection was good only for one ballot (the same as the first three blackballs) and that unless a second letter was presented signed by three members of the Temple, a member could request a second ballot on this petitioner to whom there had been an objection.

June 5, 1964

HELD: That the interpretation given to the subject Section by Past Potentate Harris,

is correct. A written objection, signed by three Nobles prevents any action from being taken upon an application for a period of thirteen weeks.

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Approved or Disapproved Temple By-laws and/or Amendments

August 28, 1963. El Maida Temple. Amendment to add Article 9 to by-laws, approved.

October 4, 1963. Al Malaikah Temple. Amendments to Article IV, Section 8; Article IX, Section 2, and the adding of Paragraph (d) to Section 2 of Article V, approved.

October 14, 1963, Mahi Temple. An assessment in sum of \$10.00 each year for 1964. 1965 and 1966 be levied on each member to complete construction and furnish in of new mosque, approved.

October 14, 1963. New York-Ontario Shrine Association. Resolutions to by-laws, approved.

October 30, 1963. Rameses Temple. Amendments to Article IV, Sections 4 and 5; and Article V, Sections 3 and 4, approved.

October 30, 1963. Suez Temple. Repealing the third sentence of Section 5, Article 2, and raising the annual dues to \$15.00 per annum, approved.

November 21, 1963. Zor Temple. Amendment to Article XII, approved.

December 3, 1963. Tangier Temple. Amendment to Article XI, Section 2, approved.

January 2, 1964. Yelduz Temple. Amendment to Article III by adding Section 10, approved.

January 29, 1964. Tigris Temple. New by-laws, approved.

January 29, 1964. Moila Temple. Resolution adopting special debt retirement assessment of \$50.00 pay by each member within 5 years, approved.

January 29, 1964. Akdar Temple. Amendments to Article III, Sections 306 and 311 and Article IV, Section 405, approved.

February 3, 1964. El Riad Temple. The adding of a new section 6 to Article V; approved.

February 12, 1964. Kora Temple. Amendment to Article XII by addition of Section 7, approved.

February 28, 1964. Tripoli Temple. Amendment to Article 4, Section 2 and Article 6, approved.

March 6, 1964. Bagdad Temple. Amendments to Article IV, Sections 2, 3 & 6; Article V, Sections 5, 9, 7, 11, 15 & 16 & Article VI, Sections 1 & 6, approved.

March 6, 1964. Nemesis Temple. Amendment to Article III, Section 1, approved.

March 25, 1964. Orak Temple. Amendment to Article IV, Section 3, approved.

April 8, 1964. Tripoli Temple. Amendment to Article III, Section 5, approved.

April 8, 1964. Pyramid Temple. Amendment to Article VII, Section 5, approved.

April 8, 1964. Bektash Temple. Amendment to Article VIII, Sections 1 & 2, approved.

May 8, 1964. Affi Temple. Amendment to Article III by adding Section 10, approved.

June 24, 1964. Alzafar Temple. New by-laws, approved.

DISPENSATIONS

Foreign

Temple and Date	Purpose
AFIFI November 5, 1962	Dispensation granted to hold Ceremonials in Manila, Hong Kong, Taipei and Tokyo between the dates of October 1 and November 30, 1963.
MOSLAH February 11, 1963	Dispensation granted to hold Ceremonials in Heidelberg, Germany and Paris, France on October 26 and November 4, 1963, respectively.
AAHMES October 22, 1963	Dispensation granted to hold Ceremonials in Heidelberg, Germany and Paris, France on May 16 and May 30, 1964, respectively.

Domestic

EL MINA July 16, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 27th day of July, 1963, for the purpose of electing candidates to receive the Order.
BOUMI July 16, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1963, at 5:00 P.M. in Westminster, Maryland, in the Junior High School Auditorium, for the purpose of holding a Cold Foot Ceremonial in the Westminster area.
HADI July 16, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1963, in Washington, Indiana, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other four Indiana Temples.
ZOR July 17, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1963, in Tomahawk, Wisconsin, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Tripoli Temple.
MURAT July 17, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 24th day of August, 1963, in the city of Lafayette, County of Tippecanoe, State of Indiana, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the four other Indiana Temples.
AINAD July 17, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 31st day of August, 1963, in the Robinson High School Gym, Robinson, Illinois, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Illinois Temples.

**Temple and
Date****Purpose**

DAMASCUS
July 17, 1963

To cancel the Stated Session of the 4th day of September, 1963, because this date is so close to the holiday that many of your Nobles have not yet returned from their summer residences to make a meeting profitable. Please notify your Nobility of this cancellation.

KHARTUM
July 17, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 7th day of September, 1963, in Fort William, Ontario, waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Mocha Temple.

KERBELA
July 17, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 14th day of September, 1963, in Greenville, Tenn.

AINAD
July 17, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 21st day of September, 1963, in the Harrisburg High School Gym, Harrisburg, Illinois, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Illinois Temples.

AINAD
July 17, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 28th day of September, 1963, in the Mt. Carmel High School Gym, Mt. Carmel, Illinois, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Illinois Temples.

ALOHA
July 17, 1963

To hold a Quarterly Session on Saturday, the 5th day of October, 1963, instead of Saturday, the 12th day of October since many of your Nobles will be going to the Orient for your Ceremonial there and your Divan will not be present for the regularly scheduled meeting date. Please advise the Nobility of this change in date.

TEHRAN
July 17, 1963

To hold a Stated Session on Friday, the 22nd day of November, 1963, so that the eligibles from the San Jose Scottish Rite Fall Class of November 16 will be able to petition Tehran Temple for Initiation in your Ceremonial which will be held the same evening. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.

LU LU
July 17, 1963

To hold a Stated Session on Saturday, the 14th day of December, 1963, instead of Wednesday, the 4th day of December. This date of December 14 is to be observed as Ceremonial functions for initiations and regular business meetings of the Temple.

KERBELA
July 22, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Thursday, the 15th day of August, 1963, at Shawanee Lodge, Shawanee, Tennessee.

KERBELA
July 22, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 17th day of August, 1963, with Kazim Temple at Bristol, Tenn.-Virginia.

Temple and Date	Purpose
KERBELA July 22, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 7th day of December, 1963, in Kerbela Temple, Knoxville, Tenn.
TRIPOLI July 23, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 27th day of July, 1963, in Sheboygan, Wisconsin, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Zor Temple.
AL KALY July 24, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday the 7th day of September, 1963, in Durango, Colorado, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from El Jebel Temple.
AINAD July 29, 1963	To hold Stated Session on Thursday, the 19th day of September, 1963, instead of Friday, September 20, because you will be holding a field ceremonial in Harrisburg, Illinois, on September 21.
LU LU July 29, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 14th day of December, 1963, due to your being unable to obtain the Town Hall site on the first Wednesday.
LU LU July 29, 1963	To hold your Annual Meeting on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, 1964, inasmuch as the first Wednesday falls on New Years Day.
HELLA July 29, 1963	To hold a Stated Session on Thursday, the 28th day of May, 1964, since the regular meeting date is the night before the annual meeting of the Texas Shrine Association.
SALAAM July 31, 1963	To hold a Stated Session on Friday, the 23rd day of August, 1963, instead of Monday, the 16th day of September, 1963, due to the urgency of approval by the Nobility of the revised plans and contracts for the construction of your new Temple. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.
AL CHYMIA August 5, 1963	To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial on Wednesday, the 14th day of August, 1963, for the purpose of initiating Brother Robert E. Haney, Jr.
BAHIA August 5, 1963	To hold a Special Session any time after the 15th day of September, 1963, for the purpose of taking Astronaut Gus Grissom into the Shrine. This dispensation necessary because of Brother Grissom's tight schedule.
OSMAN August 9, 1963	To hold a Fall Ceremonial Session in Mankato, Minn., proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Zuhrah Temple.
EL MAIDA August 14, 1963	To hold regular meeting on Tuesday, September 17, 1963, instead of the fourth Tuesday, September 24, 1963, since the latter date is only one week prior to the opening day of your annual circus.

**Temple and
Date**

Purpose

ABBA
August 15, 1963

To hold a Special Meeting on Saturday, August 17, 1963, to create Nick Theodore Catranis who had previously been elected but was unable to be present at the last Ceremonial. Via Telephone: and Albert Moreina, Circus employee, on August 22, 1963.

JERUSALEM
August 19, 1963

To hold stated session on Monday, the 16th day of December, 1963, instead of Wednesday, December 11, 1963, in order to make your meeting a part of the Imperial Potentate's reception. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.

EL MAIDA
August 21, 1963

To hold Annual Meeting on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1964, instead of Tuesday, January 28, 1964. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.

AL MALAIKAH
August 23, 1963

To hold Stated Meeting on Saturday, the 12th day of October, 1963, at 5:00 P.M. instead of 8:00 P.M. because you are holding a Family Show that same evening. Please advise your Nobility of this change in time.

AL KALY
September 2, 1963

To hold Stated Session on Friday, the 4th day of October, 1963, instead of Friday, the 11th day of October. This change made so that the Divan of Al Kaly and some of your Units may participate in the Ceremonial of Ballut Abyad Temple. Please advise your Nobility of this change.

ISMAILIA
September 2, 1963

To cancel the Stated Session of Wednesday, the 13th day of November, 1963, and hold this meeting on Thursday, December 12, 1963, when you have your Fall Ceremonial. Please advise your Nobility of this change.

EL JEBEL
September 5, 1963

To hold Stated Session on Monday, the 2nd day of December, 1963, instead of Monday, December 9, 1963. This change in date made due to biennial dinner for the 33rd's and K.C.C.H. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.

EL JEBEL
September 5, 1963

To hold Annual Session on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1964, instead of Monday, January 13, 1964, due to the conflict of the annual opening of the Stock Show in which El Jebel participates. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.

AL KADER
September 5, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 2nd day of November, 1963, in Eugene, Oregon, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Hillah Temple.

ALCAZAR
September 9, 1963

To hold a Business Session on Thursday, the 10th day of October, 1963, instead of Friday, the 11th day of October, 1963, which is the regular meeting date. This change necessary because of prominent football game on the 11th. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.

Temple and Date	Purpose
MAHI September 16, 1963	Mahi Temple dispensation to permit Brother Horace Alexander Forrester to be initiated into the Shrine by courtesy of Morocco Temple at ceremony to be held in Panama City, Florida, on Friday, September 20, 1963.
EL ZAGAL September 24, 1963	To hold Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 30th day of November, 1963, in Bismarck, North Dakota, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Kem Temple.
KERBELA September 24, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Friday, the 27th day of September, 1963, for the purpose of receiving and initiating candidates at Cedar Grove, Claiborne County, Tennessee.
YAARAB September 25, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 5th day of October, 1963, for the purpose of obligating a maximum of four candidates in full form.
BOUMI October 4, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 12th day of October, 1963, at 3:00 P.M. in the Civic Center Auditorium in Salisbury, Maryland.
AL BEDOO October 7, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 2nd day of November, 1963, in Bozeman, Montana, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from Algeria and Bagdad Temples.
ALGERIA October 7, 1963	To hold Ceremonial Session on Friday and Saturday, November 15 and 16, 1963, in Glasgow, Montana, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from Al Bedoo and Bagdad Temples.
ANEZEH October 7, 1963	To hold a Stated Session on Saturday, the 2nd day of November, 1963, instead of Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1963, for the purpose of holding your Annual Ceremonial on this earlier date in the month.
EL KARUBAH September 17, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 5th day of October, 1963, for the purpose of conferring the Degree of Noble of the Mystic Shrine on Brother Statie Preston Eggers, Sr. This special session requested because of Brother Eggers physical condition.
ZOR October 10, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Wednesday, the 16th day of October, 1963, for the purpose of initiating James Graham Thompson in the Masonic Temple in Madison, Wis.
TADMOR October 10, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Monday, the 28th day of October, 1963, for the purpose of obligating Floyd Bixler and his son, Sam Bixler. This request made as Floyd Bixler is leaving on an extended tour and desires to be obligated with his son before he departs.

Temple and Date	Purpose
KERBELA October 11, 1963	To hold Special Session on Wednesday, the 16th day of October, 1963, in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, for the purpose of initiating candidates.
KERBELA October 11, 1963	To hold Special Session on Saturday, the 19th day of October, 1963, in Johnson City, Tennessee, for the purpose of initiating candidates.
DAMASCUS October 11, 1963	To hold its Annual Session on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, 1964, instead of Wednesday, January 1, 1964, which is New Year's Day. Please advise your Nobility of this change in date.
AHMED October 15, 1963	To hold a Regular Session on Friday, the 1st day of November, 1963, instead of Friday, the 8th day of November, in order to insure a better attendance at your meeting at which you plan to hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial.
ZENOBIA October 16, 1963	To hold a Special Meeting on Monday, the 11th day of November, 1963, for the purpose of balloting on petitions. Please advise your Nobility of this meeting.
EL MAIDA October 21, 1963	To hold Stated Session on Tuesday, the 17th day of December, 1963, instead of Tuesday, the 24th day of December, 1963, which is Christmas Eve. Please advise your Nobility of this change in date.
EL KATIF October 28, 1963	To hold Annual Session on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, 1964, instead of Wednesday, the 1st day of January, 1964, which is New Year's Day.
ALMAS October 28, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Friday and Saturday, May 8 and 9, 1964, at Virginia Beach, Virginia, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Khedive Temple.
ARABIA November 4, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Friday, the 22nd day of November, 1963, in Lufkin, Texas.
EL KARUBAH November 7, 1963	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, November 16, 1963, at the Municipal Auditorium in Shreveport, Louisiana, since El Karubah Temple does not have the facilities to accommodate the number of Nobles who will attend.
SCIMITAR November 1, 1963	To hold a Short Form Initiation on Tuesday, the 11th day of November, 1963, to accommodate those Candidates who were unable to attend the regular initiation.
EL MINA November 18, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Friday, the 29th day of November, 1963, in Beaumont, Texas, for the purpose of electing candidates for membership prior to the Fall Ceremonial.

Temple and Date	Purpose
KERAK November 19, 1963	To hold Stated Session on Wednesday, the 18th day of December, 1963, inasmuch as your regular meeting date would fall on Christmas Day. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.
KERAK November 19, 1963	To hold Annual Session on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1964, instead of Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, 1964. This change in date made so that officers can be elected and installed early in the month so the new Potentate can install Shrine Club Officers the latter part of January. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.
SCIMITAR November 20, 1963	To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial Session on Tuesday, the 3rd day of December, 1963, in Little Rock, Arkansas, for a few candidates who were unable to be at your Fall Ceremonial.
SCIMITAR November 20, 1963	To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 21st day of December, 1963, in Fort Smith, Arkansas, for a few candidates who were unable to be at your Fall Ceremonial.
ALZAFAR November 21, 1963	To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial Session on Thursday, the 19th day of December, 1963, for the purpose of initiating candidates that are hold-overs from your regular Ceremonial.
YELDUZ November 25, 1963	To hold its Annual Session on Thursday, the 9th day of January, 1964, since the date of the regularly scheduled meeting falls on the 2nd day of January, 1964, and a better attendance is expected at this later meeting date.
KERBELA November 18, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Wednesday, the 27th day of November, 1963, for the purpose of creating three Candidates who, because of their work, will be unable to attend the December 7th Ceremonial.
KERBELA November 18, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 30th day of November, 1963, in Kingsport, Tennessee, for the purpose of receiving petitions and creating Candidates.
SALAAM November 26, 1963	To obligate several candidates at the conclusion of its Stated Session on Friday, the 6th day of December, 1963. These men will be unable to attend the full-form Ceremonial which will be held on Saturday, the 7th day of December, 1963.
TIGRIS November 26, 1963	To hold its Annual Session on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, 1964, instead of Wednesday the 15th day of January.

**Temple and
Date****Purpose**

KERBELA
November 26, 1963

To hold a Special Session on Tuesday, the 31st day of December, 1963.

CALAM
November 29, 1963

To hold its Annual Session on Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1964, instead of Thursday, the 9th day of January, 1964.

AFIFI
November 29, 1963

To hold its Annual Session on Thursday, the 9th day of January, 1964, instead of Thursday, the 2nd day of January, 1964. This change requested since many of your members will not have returned from East-West Game in time for meeting on January 2.

HADI
December 5, 1963

To hold a Business Meeting on Wednesday, the 18th day of December, 1963, instead of Tuesday, the 24th day of December, 1963, which is Christmas Eve.

ZA-GA-ZIG
December 5, 1963

To hold a Special Session on Wednesday, the 18th day of December, 1963, for the purpose of obligating the following candidates who were unable to attend your Ceremonial on December 2: Hans A. Holmes, Reginald E. Reipke, Newell O. Jones, Leward M. Larson, Edward A. Arnsperger.

AL CHYMIA
December 6, 1963

To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial Session on Wednesday, the 11th day of December, 1963, for the purpose of initiating candidates who were unable to attend your Ceremonial on November 30.

KERBELA
December 10, 1963

To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 14th day of December, 1963, in Johnson City, Tennessee, for the purpose of receiving, voting and initiating Candidates.

KERBELA
December 10, 1963

To hold a Special Session on Friday, the 20th day of December, 1963, at Bristol, Tennessee, for the purpose of receiving, voting and initiating Candidates.

ABBA
December 10, 1963

To hold a Special Session on Wednesday, the 18th day of December, 1963, for the purpose of obligating four seamen: Robert Granger, Edward Brooke, Norman A. Graham and John H. Baker, Jr.

KAZIM
December 18, 1963

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 28th day of December, 1963, in Abington, Virginia.

ALGERIA
December 23, 1963

To hold its Annual Meeting on Monday, the 20th day of January, 1964, at 7:00 P.M. instead of 8 P.M., in order that routine business may be taken care of and election held on time.

ALCAZAR
December 26, 1963

To hold the Annual Meeting on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1964, instead of Friday, the 10th day of January, 1964, because this latter date would conflict with your circus.

Temple and Date	Purpose
KERBELA December 18, 1963	To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 28th day of December, 1963, for the purpose of receiving and voting on petitions of those who will not be in town for your meeting on the 31st.
TEHAMA December 30, 1963	To hold its Annual Meeting on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, 1964, instead of Monday, the 20th day of January, 1964, in order that there will be a greater attendance due to the participation of many of your Nobles in some local activity on the 20th.
BEDOUIN January 2, 1964	To hold a Short Form Ceremonial Session on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1964.
MAHI January 9, 1964	To hold its Regular Monthly Session on Saturday, the 8th day of February, 1964, at 7 P.M. instead of Thursday, the 6th day of February, 1964. This meeting is to be followed by a Public Installation of the 1964 Mahi Temple Officers. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.
KISMET January 17, 1964	To hold a Special Session on Monday, January 27th, 1964, for the purpose of obligating three petitioners (Coley L. Baird, Paul D. Hermann and Dudley F. Underhill) who were unable to attend the Ceremonial on Monday, January 13, due to the blizzard and attendant transportation failure.
KHIVA January 10, 1964	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, 1964, for the purpose of creating 3 to 5 Novices previously elected in Tulia, Texas. Ritualistic Divan will confer the Short Form Ceremonial.
EL HASA January 23, 1964	To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial on Saturday, the 29th day of February, 1964, in Olive Hill, Kentucky, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Kentucky Temples.
MAHI January 20, 1964	To hold a Special Session on some day convenient during the week of January 27, 1964, for the purpose of obligating Brother Louis Lang who is leaving for Europe the latter part of that week and will not return until in the Fall.
KERBELA January 27, 1964	To hold a Special Session on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1964, for the purpose of receiving and voting on Petitions in Sweetwater, Tennessee.
ALOHA January 28, 1964	To hold Stated Session on Saturday, the 18th day of April, 1964, instead of Saturday, the 11th day of April, because Imperial Sir Harold C. Close will be making a visitation to Aloha Temple at the time of the scheduled meeting date of April 11th.

**Temple and
Date****Purpose**

AL MALAIKAH
January 31, 1964

To hold Regular Quarterly Meeting on Saturday, the 28th day of March, 1964, at 8:00 P.M., since your Potentate and members of the Divan will be attending an installation of officers at a joint meeting of the Palm Springs, San Gorgonio Pass & Yucca Valley Shrine Clubs on April 11, 1964, which is your regularly scheduled quarterly business meeting date. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.

ALZAFAR
February 10, 1964

To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 21st day of March, 1964. This Ceremonial is for those Brothers who will be unable to attend your regular ceremonial in May.

MELHA
February 13, 1964

To hold its Regular Stated Session on Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1964, instead of Thursday, the 5th day of March, so that your meeting and dedication of new Temple may be held on the same date.

EL MINA
February 14, 1964

To hold its Stated Session on Friday, March 13, 1964, instead of Tuesday, March 10th, for the purpose of receiving the official visit of the Imperial Potentate.

HILLAH
February 17, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 23rd day of May, 1964, in Eugene, Oregon. Proper waiver of jurisdiction has been received from Al Kader Temple.

KAZIM
February 24, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 21st day of March, 1964, in Richlands, Virginia.

ANTIOCH
February 25, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 25th day of April, 1964, in Springfield, Clark County, Ohio, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Ohio Temples.

BEDOUIIN
February 27, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Friday, the 6th day of March, 1964, in Atoka, Oklahoma, for the purpose of conferring the Degrees of the Shrine on circus personnel who will be unable to attend your regular ceremonial.

BEDOUIIN
February 27, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1964, in Durant, Oklahoma, for the purpose of conferring the Degrees of the Shrine on circus personnel who will be unable to attend your regular ceremonial.

BEDOUIIN
February 27, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1964, in Hugo, Oklahoma, for the purpose of conferring the Degrees of the Shrine on circus personnel who will be unable to attend your regular ceremonial.

TADMOR
February 27, 1964

To hold a Stated Session on Friday, the 10th day of April, 1964, in the City of Canton, Ohio, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Ohio Temples.

Temple and Date	Purpose
TADMOR February 27, 1964	To hold a Stated Session on Friday, the 8th day of May, 1964, in the City of Medina, Ohio, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Ohio Temples.
ZEMBO February 28, 1964	To hold a Stated Session on Monday, the 4th day of May, 1964, instead of Friday, the 1st day of May, 1964. This change in meeting date necessary as wives of the Nobility are to be entertained following the meeting and the entertainment was available only on May 4th.
KERBELA March 2, 1964	To hold a Special Session on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1964, in Oak Ridge, Tennessee.
KERBELA March 6, 1964	To hold a Special Session on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1964, at the Masonic Temple in Johnson City, Tennessee, for the purpose of receiving, voting on and initiating candidates.
DAMASCUS March 16, 1964	To hold Ceremonial Session on Wednesday, the 27th day of May, 1964, instead of Wednesday, the 6th day of May, 1964, since it is hoped the weather will be better on this later date.
MOILA March 7, 1964	To hold a Special Session on Tuesday, the 17th day of March, 1964, to obligate Larry Lee Laberentz.
AINAD March 19, 1964	To hold a regularly stated session on Friday, the 12th day of June, 1964, instead of Friday, the 19th day of June. This change is due to the fact that you are having a Shrine Rodeo Parade in Belleville, Illinois on Friday evening, June 19th, prior to the opening of your annual Rodeo on June 20-21-22, 1964. Please advise your Nobility of this change in meeting date.
AKDAR March 19, 1964	Dispensation to confer the Shrine in short form on that Brother living in Hominy, Oklahoma, at your business meeting on Thursday, the 11th day of June, 1964.
AL BEDOO March 19, 1964	To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 23rd day of May, 1964, in the city of Great Falls, Montana, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from Bagdad and Algeria Temples.
HELLA March 24, 1964	To confer Shrine membership on a group of Candidates on Saturday, the 4th day of April, 1964, while aboard a 707 Jet.
ABBA March 15, 1964	To hold a Special Session on Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1964, for the purpose of creating Robert T. Ervin, Jr.
OASIS March 26, 1964	To hold a Special Session on some convenient date for the purpose of obligating Joseph T. Crayton of Charlotte who was not present at your regular scheduled Ceremonial.

**Temple and
Date**

Purpose

ABBA
March 26, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 4th day of April, 1964, to obligate David H. Seibert who was unable to be present at your regular Ceremonial.

AHMED
April 3, 1964

To hold a Regular Session on Friday, the 1st day of May, 1964, instead of Friday, the 8th day of May, for the purpose of general business and initiation of candidates. Change in meeting date due to Consistory Spring Reunion on May 7, 8 and 9.

MAHI
April 3, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Friday and Saturday, June 5 and 6, 1964, in Naples, Florida, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Egypt Temple.

AL KORAN
April 3, 1964

To hold a Spring Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 13th day of June, 1964, in the City of Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio, proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Ohio Temples.

AKDAR
April 6, 1964

To hold a Regular Business Session on Thursday, the 21st day of May, 1964, instead of Thursday, the 14th day of May, for the purpose of acting on all petitions and other matters pertaining to Ceremonial scheduled for May 23.

EL MINA
April 10, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 25th day of April, 1964, for the purpose of electing candidates to receive the Order at your Spring Ceremonial.

BAHIA
April 3, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Tuesday or Wednesday, April 14 or 15, 1964, for the purpose of conferring the Shrine in Short Form on Brother Ralph Hollopeter who is in the Armed Services and will be unable to be present at your Ceremonial on April 24 and 25.

ISMAILIA
April 14, 1964

To hold a Regular Stated Session on Saturday, the 6th day of June, 1964, instead of Wednesday, the 13th day of May, 1964. This change requested so that meeting will be on same day as your Hot Sands Ceremonial.

ZEMBO
April 15, 1964

To hold a Regular State Session and Ceremonial Session on Friday and Saturday, the 12th and 13th days of June, 1964, instead of June 5 and 6, 1964, due to Temple facilities being used for other purposes.

ALHAMBRA
April 17, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 16th day of May, 1964, in Harriman, Tennessee, which is in your jurisdiction.

**Temple and
Date**

Purpose

EL HASA
April 17, 1964

To hold Spring Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 2nd day of May, 1964, in Pikeville, Ky., proper waivers of jurisdiction having been received from the other Kentucky Temples.

KERBELA
April 20, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Saturday, the 9th day of May, 1964 for the purpose of receiving and voting on petitions at your Spring Ceremonial to be held that same day.

BAHIA
April 24, 1964

To hold Ceremonial Session on Friday and Saturday, June 5 and 6, 1964, in Naples, Florida. This is to be an All-State Ceremonial in which all Florida Temples will participate. Waiver of jurisdiction has been received from Egypt Temple.

EL KARUBAH
April 27, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 16th day of May, 1964. This dispensation to cover receipt of petitions, ballot on candidates, make creations and transact such business that might come before the Nobility at this time.

MAHI
April 27, 1964

To hold a Regular Stated Meeting on Tuesday, the 2nd day of June, 1964, instead of Thursday, the 4th day of June, 1964. Your Ceremonial Session June 5-6, 1964, at Naples, Florida, is the reason for requesting this change.

AFIFI
April 29, 1964

To hold your Regular Stated Session on Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1964, in Longview, Washington, to obligate Jack Lynn Volz, a resident of Centralia, Washington, as candidate Volz is leaving with the Army on May 15 to go to Korea for thirteen months, and would like to be obligated before departing.

EL MINA
May 4, 1964

To hold Stated Session on Saturday, the 16th day of May, 1964, in Port Arthur, Texas, instead of Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1964, in Galveston. Please advise your Nobility of this change in date and location.

HELLA
May 7, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 30th day of May, 1964, in a salt mine operated by Morton Salt Company, located in Grand Saline, Texas.

SALAAM
May 11, 1964

To hold a Stated Session on Friday, the 12th day of June, 1964, instead of Monday, the 15th day of June, 1964, and also permission to obligate several Candidates who will be unable to be present at Ceremonial on Saturday, June 13.

**Temple and
Date**

Purpose

KERBELA
May 19, 1964

To hold a Short Form Ceremonial on Wednesday, the 20th day of May, 1964, in Clinton, Tennessee, for the purpose of voting, receiving and initiating candidates.

TRIPOLI
May 19, 1964

To hold a Cold Sands Ceremonial on Saturday, the 13th day of June, 1964, in Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, for the purpose of receiving and initiating candidates, proper waiver of jurisdiction having been received from Zor Temple.

ZA-GA-ZIG
May 15, 1964

To hold a Special Session sometime during the week of May 25, 1964, for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Shrine on Peter Frederick Hansen who was unable to attend your April 27 Ceremonial account of surgery.

AKDAR
May 19, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Friday, the 29th day of May, 1964, for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Shrine on Lynn Brady who is unable to attend your regular Ceremonial Session.

SCIMITAR
June 5, 1964

To dispense with its regularly stated meeting of July 4, 1964, since this is the day before a holiday and many members will be on vacation and also because there is no pressing business of the Temple for this date.

AL SIHAH
June 10, 1964

To hold a Ceremonial Session on Saturday, the 27th day of June, 1964, in Americus, Georgia, for the purpose of creating from 20 to 25 new Nobles.

KAABA
June 19, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Monday, the 13th day of July, 1964, for the purpose of conferring the Order in Short Form on Brothers Robert G. Huber and Robert Everetts since they will not be here at the time of your next ceremonial. This will be held at a meeting of your Washington Shrine Club.

ISIS
June 12, 1964

To hold a Special Meeting on Tuesday, the 30th day of June, 1964, for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Shrine on five candidates who were unable to be present at your Spring Ceremonial.

ZIYARA
June 29, 1964

To hold a Special Session during the week of July 6, 1964, for the purpose of obligating Brother Kenneth Blodgett who was unable to be present at your Spring Ceremonial on June 6, 1964.

KISMET
July 6, 1964

To hold a Special Session on Monday, the 13th day of July, 1964, for the purpose of obligating Wallace S. Karutz, a physician who was unable to attend your regular Ceremonial Session.

GENERAL ORDERS THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

of the

Ancient Arabic Order of the
Nobles of the Mystic Shrine
for North America

(An Iowa Corporation)

GENERAL ORDERS No. 1,
SERIES OF 1963-1964

OFFICE OF THE IMPERIAL POTENTATE
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, OCTOBER 17, 1963

*To the Representatives of the Imperial Council, Potentates, Recorders of
the Subordinate Temples, and the Nobility of the Order:*

"ES SELAMU ALEIKUM"

Because of the favorable acceptance of our hospitals as a great philanthropy, it has resulted in the inference and widespread belief that circuses and other fund-raising promotions by Shrine Temples and Clubs are always conducted for the benefit of our Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. Of course this is not true, and there is a serious possibility of damaging the image of our hospitals and promotions conducted for their benefit.

From and after the date of this General Order, unless a Temple has express authority in writing to use the name of, or make reference to Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children in connection with any circus or fund-raising activity of the Temple, Shrine Unit or Club, each advertisement, ticket (exchange or admission), piece of promotional literature or brochure used in connection with the fund-raising activity shall have printed thereon the following words:

"This is an activity of _____ Temple and not for the benefit of the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children."

This General Order shall be read at the next meeting of each Temple after the receipt thereof and a record made upon the minutes of the Session.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Imperial Council this 17th day of October, A.D. 1963, and of the Order A.H. 1383.

HAROLD C. CLOSE
Imperial Potentate

Attest:
GEORGE M. SAUNDERS
Imperial Recorder

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GENERAL ORDERS No. 2,
SERIES OF 1963-1964

OFFICE OF THE IMPERIAL POTENTATE
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, NOVEMBER 15, 1963

*To the Representatives of the Imperial Council, Potentates, Records of
the Subordinate Temples, and the Nobility of the Order:*

"ES SELAMU ALEIKUM"

Your attention is called to Section 209 of the Code, which provides:

"The Illustrious Potentate shall open and preside at all sessions of the Temple . . ."

and to Section 210, which provides:

"The Chief Rabban shall preside in the absence of the Illustrious Potentate. In the absence of both Illustrious Potentate and Chief Rabban, the Assistant Rabban shall preside . . ."

This includes the annual meeting at which officers for the ensuing year are elected. You are advised that the provisions of Sections 209 and 210 must be observed. Following the annual meeting at which officers are elected, the newly elected Potentate of each Temple shall send a report to the Imperial Potentate stating who presided at the annual meeting and during the election.

This General Orders No. 2 shall be read at the first meeting of the Temple after the receipt of this Order, and again at the beginning of the annual meeting, and record of the same made upon the minutes of each session at which it is read.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Imperial Council this 15th day of November, 1963, and of the Order A. H. 1383.

HAROLD C. CLOSE
Imperial Potentate

Attest:
GEORGE M. SAUNDERS
Imperial Recorder

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

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GENERAL ORDERS No. 3,
SERIES 1963-1964

OFFICE OF THE IMPERIAL POTENTATE
CHICAGO, ILL., MARCH 19, 1964

*To the Representatives of the Imperial Council, Potentates, Recorders of
the Subordinate Temples, and the Nobility of the Order:*

"ES SELAMU ALEIKUM"

You are advised that certain past practices will *not* be permitted at the New York Session.

New York Police and Shrine Provost and Imperial Session officials are instructed to rigidly enforce these restrictions.

Temple Potentates are charged with the responsibility to personally see that these instructions are strictly complied with. You must see that this information gets to every Noble under your jurisdiction.

PARADES

The day parade will start at 8:30 A.M. at 95th Street and Fifth Avenue and proceed down Fifth Avenue to 62nd Street. The reviewing stand will be alongside Central Park on the right of the marching column at 69th Street.

The night parade will form in the World's Fair Grounds in the Lawrence Street parking area, and will start at 6:15 P.M. It will proceed through the Fair Grounds and into Shea Stadium. Note: Shea Stadium is outside the Fair Grounds and immediately adjacent. Tickets will be required for admission into the Stadium, at \$2.00 each.

IMPORTANT

For the purpose of avoiding possible criticism at the New York 1964 Imperial Council Session, no Nubian slave costumes or black-faced clowns, or any similar costume or make-up, will be permitted in parades, on the streets, or in hotels or other public places in New York City.

This special order will be strictly enforced by the prompt discipline of any Noble or Temple violating this order or permitting it to be violated.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

No Temple officers will be permitted in the parades without their Temple Uniformed Units. No more than one car will be permitted for a Temple with marching units. No floats will be permitted in the parades unless they are approved by Director General Clifford E. Brundage, whose office is located in the Warwick Hotel, c/o Shrine Convention Headquarters, Suite 420, 65 West 54th Street, New York City, N. Y. 10019. After July 10, Noble Brundage's office will be located in The New York Hilton Hotel.

FORBIDDEN TO USE

POTENTATES ARE ADVISED THAT THE USE OF WATER PISTOLS, ELECTRIC CANES, ELECTRIC BRIEF CASES, SNAKES OR OTHER REPTILES, FIRECRACKERS, CANNONS, SIRENS AND OTHER OBJECTIONABLE DEVICES, WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.

You are instructed to notify all Nobles of these instructions.

It is directed that this General Orders No. 3 be read to the Nobility of each Temple at the first session following its receipt, and record of same be made upon the minutes of the session at which it is read.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Imperial Council this 16th day of March, A.D. 1964, and of the Order A.H. 1383.

HAROLD C. CLOSE
Imperial Potentate

Attest:

GEORGE M. SAUNDERS
Imperial Recorder

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GENERAL ORDERS No. 4
SERIES 1963-1964

OFFICE OF THE IMPERIAL POTENTATE
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, JUNE 15, 1964

CALL FOR THE ANNUAL SESSION OF 1964

To the Representatives of the Imperial Council, Potentates and Recorders of Subordinate Temples, and the Nobility of the Order:

"ES SELAMU ALEIKUM"

You and each of you are hereby notified that the Ninetieth Annual Session of

the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America will be held in the City of New York, County and State of New York, on the dates of July 21, 22, 23 and 24, 1964. The Session will open at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, July 21, 1964, in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel in New York City. After the opening day the following meeting schedule will be strictly adhered to: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, and 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day. The Imperial Potentate is calling this session as a four-day session and each Representative attending will receive per diem for four days, i.e., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The Wednesday morning election of officers session will be held at 9:00 a.m. Immediately after the election of the Imperial Potentate a brief Pageant honoring the Imperial Potentate-Elect will be presented for Nobles and their ladies.

After the pageant we will reconvene to complete the election of officers, including the first ballot for Imperial Outer Guard before adjournment for lunch. The afternoon session will convene at 1:30 p.m.

REPRESENTATIVES' HEADQUARTERS HOTEL

Representatives' headquarters hotel will be the New York Hilton Hotel. The Imperial Council Committees will meet in several meeting rooms in the hotel on the 2nd and 5th floors.

The Imperial Recorder's office will be in the Regent and Beekman Rooms on the second floor of the New York Hilton Hotel.

REGISTRATION

Registration headquarters for Representatives only in Cloak Room, Second Floor of the New York Hilton Hotel, will be open as follows:

Sunday, July 19 — 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m.

Monday, July 20 — 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, July 21 — 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

In order to register, Representatives must present properly signed credentials and are requested to present themselves promptly at Registration Headquarters, sign the register and receive their official badges, upon their arrival in New York.

CHURCH SERVICE

The church service will be held Sunday, July 19. Doors open at 9:00 A.M., with service at 9:30 A.M., in Radio City Music Hall, Rockefeller Center, New York City, conducted by Reverend Russell E. Camp, Imperial Chaplain, assisted by Reverend Timothy Reeves in charge of the Chaplain Corps of Medinah Temple. Organist will be C. Gordon Wedertz of Medinah Temple.

All Masons, their ladies, their friends and the public, together with Knights Templar in uniform, Scottish Rite members, and DeMolays, Job's Daughters, Rainbow Girls in uniform and others, are invited to this religious service which starts the Imperial Session festivities. Everyone is invited to this morning service of worship. The processional is under the direction of Illustrious Sir Murray A. Stillwaugh, Past Potentate of Medinah Temple.

SHRINE CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS

Shrine Convention Office Headquarters is located at the New York Hilton Hotel, Suite 550, telephone Circle 6-9600.

BANQUETS

The Imperial Potentate's Banquet for Representatives and their ladies will be held in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel on Wednesday evening, July 22 at 8:00 p.m. Doors open at 7:00 p.m. Each Representative will receive two tickets for this banquet.

Complimentary Social Hour 7:00 to 7:45 p.m. in West Promenade adjacent to Grand Ballroom Suite immediately preceding Imperial Potentate's Banquet.

NOTE: A new innovation will be in vogue for this Imperial Potentate's Banquet. The crowding at outer doors, undue anxiety, unnecessary rushing and waiting will be eliminated.

Each Temple's Representatives will be seated together at one reserved table.

Each Temple's table number will be indicated on each Representative's banquet ticket. Regardless of the time of arrival the same table will be available. Table numbers cannot be changed.

Assignment of "table numbers" is the result of a "drawing" made on board the S. S. LURLINE on the Imperial Potentate's Hawaiian Cruise, witnessed by the Imperial Potentate and the Director General. The procedure used in the first national lottery under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 which was held on October 29, 1940, was used as a guide and is outlined below.

One bowl, containing slips bearing the Temple names.

One bowl, containing slips bearing table numbers.

Pick one slip from Temple bowl.

Pick one slip from Table number bowl.

Result, Temple so & so has table so & so.

This continued until the 167 Temple slips had been drawn.

LUNCHEONS, ETC.

Luncheons for Representatives will be served in the Trianon Ballroom Suite of the New York Hilton Hotel on Wednesday and Thursday. No luncheon on Friday. Tickets for these luncheons will be in your registration envelope.

Representatives' Ladies' Luncheon and Fashion Show will be held in the Grand Ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel on Thursday, July 23, 1964, at 12:00 o'clock noon. Admission will be by ticket only.

Each Representative's registration envelope will contain a ticket for his lady.

Grandstand seat tickets for both parades will be in Representatives' envelopes.

You will be advised of other social affairs through the medium of a program to be issued.

Do not fail to visit the "Shrine Market Place" at the New York Hilton Hotel, immediately adjacent to the Registration area.

OFFICIAL OPENING

The Official Opening Service of this Imperial Council Session will take place on Tuesday, July 21, 1964, promptly at 2:00 p.m. in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel.

The Mayor of New York City, the Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of the State of New York and all other distinguished guests, including the representatives of some of the national Masonic organizations, together with the Imperial Officers and Past Imperial Officers, will participate in this colorful opening service. All Nobles and their ladies are cordially invited.

Immediately after the close of the Opening Service a short recess will permit the non-members of the Shrine to depart and the Imperial Council will open for business.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO RECORDERS

In order that proper tribute may be paid to our departed Nobility, Recorders of subordinate Temples are requested to immediately send direct to Illustrious Noble F. Lawrence Bulfinch (Bektash Temple), Chairman of the Necrology Committee, 74 W. Merrimack St., Manchester, N.H., memoranda relative to distinguished Nobles of their membership who have died since the last session of the Imperial Council. The Committee on Necrology is dependent on the cooperation of the Recorders for this information.

EMERITI MEMBERS

Please advise the office of the Imperial Recorder immediately the name of any Representative of your Temple who will become eligible for Emeritus membership by attendance at the 1964 session of the Imperial Council so that the Chairman of the Committee on Emeriti Members may be notified.

ARTICLE VIII, Section 73, NOMINATION OF EMERITI MEMBERS," . . . No nominations for Emeriti Membership shall be considered by the Committee unless the same is received by the Imperial Recorder at least 30 days prior to the date of the convening of the Imperial Council session at which said nominations are to be acted upon."

NOTICE TO POTENTATES AND RECORDERS

The Imperial Recorder's Office in the Regent Room on the Second Floor of the New York Hilton Hotel, will open on Friday morning, July 10, 1964. In order to expedite the work of the office and facilitate the preparation of the necessary reports to the Imperial Council, it would be a great accommodation if the Potentates and Recorders would forward any changes in Representatives so as to reach the Chicago office on or before July 8.

With reference to the matter of appointing Representatives, PLEASE NOTE THAT SECTION 18 OF ARTICLE IV STATES THAT THE APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES REPLACING ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES UNABLE TO BE PRESENT, MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE IMPERIAL RECORDER BEFORE 9:00 A.M. OF THE FIFTH DAY PRECEDING THE DAY FIXED FOR THE OPENING SESSION OF THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL, FOR THE CURRENT YEAR. THIS MEANS THAT SUCH APPOINTMENT MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE IMPERIAL RECORDER ON OR BEFORE 9:00 A.M. ON THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1964.

RECEPTION FOR NEWLY ELECTED IMPERIAL POTENTATE

The reception and inauguration pageant for the newly elected Imperial Potentate will take place in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel immediately after he is elected on Wednesday morning, July 22. All Nobles and their ladies are invited to attend and honor our newly elected Imperial Potentate and his lady.

ROLL CALL

The Imperial Potentate advises that there WILL be roll calls of Representatives at any time during the sessions of the Imperial Council.

Please take due notice and maintain constant attendance at all business sessions of the Imperial Council. Mileage and per Diem are paid for this purpose.

COMMITTEE LIST

Appointed by Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close.

There have been occasions when members of Committees of the Imperial Council have informed interested Nobles of the results or probable results of a Committee's consideration of a particular matter. Embarrassing situations have resulted.

The reports of the Committees are to be made to the Imperial Potentate or to the Imperial Council. There should be no discussions of pending matters with persons not on the Committee unless at the directions of the Committee for the sole purpose of obtaining information.

The careful observance of this request will make for more efficient functioning by the Committees with respect to the matters referred to them in the carrying out of their important assignments.

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PROPOSED LEGISLATION

At the 1961 Imperial Council Session in Miami, the Representatives by Resolution required the Imperial Potentate to appoint a Committee to undertake a revision and codification of the By-Laws and Code of the Iowa Corporation. This Committee was appointed and has labored for three years. Its report was mailed to each Representative on April 3, 1964. At the same time a copy of the 1963 By-Laws and Code was mailed to each Representative.

The members of committee have submitted a proposal to amend the By-Laws and Code by repealing the existing provisions and enacting in lieu thereof the provisions

set forth in the report of present By-Laws and Code sent you as that presently existing and to be amended. Reference is hereby made to the copy of the proposed By-Laws and Code heretofore sent you for the By-Laws and Code as the same will read if the proposed amendments are adopted.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

Amend Section 92 of the By-laws of the Iowa Corporation, as follows:

- (1) Strike out the words "including candidates received during the year," wherever they appear in the first sentence of the section, and change the word "and" to "or" in the seventh line.
- (2) Add the following after the first sentence of the Section:
"Candidates admitted between January 1st and March 31st shall pay 100 per cent of the Hospital assessment; those between April 1st and June 30th, 75 per cent; those between July 1st and September 30th, 50 per cent; and those between October 1st and December 31st, 25 per cent."

The section would then read as follows:

Sec. 92. In addition to the above annual dues each Temple shall collect Five Dollars (\$5) per capita annually from each of its members, life members, and members reinstated or affiliated, to be paid in advance, for the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, and no card shall be issued to any member, including candidates received during the year or life members, also members reinstated or affiliated, unless this per capita is paid, together with the annual dues required by the Temple. Candidates admitted between January 1st and March 31st shall pay 100 per cent of the Hospital assessment; those between April 1st and June 30th, 75 per cent; those between July 1st and September 30th, 50 per cent; and those between October 1st and December 31st, 25 per cent. The per capita received from candidates during the year shall be remitted to the Imperial Recorder immediately after the initiation, reinstatement or affiliation, and the per capita upon the membership shall be remitted to the Imperial Recorder by separate check, fifty per cent (50%) thereof upon the making of the annual returns to the Imperial Recorder, but not later than March 1st of the year in which the per capita is due; thirty-five per cent (35%) thereof not later than June 1st of the year in which the per capita is due; and the remaining fifteen per cent (15%) not later than October 1st of the year in which the per capita is due. The membership on which per capita shall be based shall be the membership of the Temple at the end of the fiscal year as reported to the Imperial Recorder; provided, that the Temple may take credit for and deduct from its remittance all unpaid assessments of the preceding year occasioned by death and suspensions. And provided further, that the Temple shall not be required to make payment to the Imperial Recorder of any such unpaid assessments or arrearages in the event of subsequent reinstatement of a member suspended for nonpayment of dues.

And provided further, that no Noble so reinstated to good standing shall upon a second suspension from membership be entitled to a reinstatement except upon payment by him in full of all delinquent hospital assessments.

The five dollar (\$5) per capita tax for said Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children is a trust fund and it shall be the duty of each Temple to segregate said per capita tax in a separate and distinct account and to remit the same to the Imperial Recorder as herein provided.

Any violation of this provision shall subject the Temple and its officers to such discipline as the Imperial Council shall impose. Any and all infractions or violations of this Section shall be reported to the Imperial Council by the Imperial Recorder.

Provided, however, that any member or candidate upon the payment of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) shall receive a certificate therefor from the Recorder of his Temple, and shall be exempt from any further assessments for the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children.

And provided, further, that any candidate or reinstated or re-affiliated member who, before becoming an active member by initiation, reinstatement or re-affiliation, has donated \$150.00 to the Board of Trustees, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, and who has been issued, and who produces a certificate of Voluntary Permanent subscription from the Board of Trustees, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, in an amount of at least \$150.00, shall be also exempt from any further assessments for the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. Upon the payment of said sum of \$150.00 to the Recorder, or the production before him of such certificate of Voluntary Permanent subscription, he shall cause his record to show the exemption of such member from future hospital assessments. The Imperial Council shall issue a Voluntary Contributing Membership certificate to any person or to any organization for a minimum sum of \$60.00 in acknowledgment of and as a receipt for any such gift. Presentation of a Voluntary Permanent Subscriber Membership certificate standing in the name of a Noble, although such certificate has been issued prior to the date of such member becoming a Noble, with a request for conversion of said certificate, shall entitle such Noble to a Permanent Contributing Membership certificate on the surrender of the said Voluntary Permanent Subscriber Membership certificate together with the further sum of \$90.00, upon receipt of which such Noble shall be entitled to the benefits of a Permanent Contributing Membership.

Said sums, when so paid to the Recorder of the Temple shall be by him paid to the Imperial Recorder, who shall transfer the same to the Imperial Treasurer, and the Imperial Treasurer of the Iowa Corporation shall forthwith pay the same to the Treasurer of the Colorado Corporation.

Amend. 1951.

Amend. 1952.

Amend Section 102 of the By-laws of the Iowa Corporation as follows:

- (1) Change the words and figure "sixty (60) cents" to "One Dollar Ten Cents (\$1.10)"; and
- (2) Add the following after the third sentence of the section:

"The full amount of the per capita tax shall be passed on to each Noble as a part of his annual dues, unless the Temple, by affirmative vote at a regular meeting elects to absorb all or some part of the per capita tax, in the event of which that part thereof not so absorbed by the Temple shall be passed on to each Noble as a part of his annual dues."

- (3) This amendment shall be effective January 1, 1965. The Section would then read:

Sec. 102. Each subordinate Temple shall pay annually to the Imperial Council per capita in accordance with its membership, the following: For each member One Dollar Ten Cents (\$1.10). Such sums shall be remitted to the Imperial Recorder. That ten (10) cents of each per capita so paid shall be segregated and used exclusively for such aid to the Host Temple or its (order) organization, entertaining the Sessions of the Imperial Council, as may be ordered by the Imperial Potentate. The full amount of the per capita tax shall be passed on to each Noble as a part of his annual dues, unless the Temple, by affirmative vote at a regular meeting, elects to absorb all or some part of the per capita tax, in the event of which that part thereof not so absorbed by the Temple shall be passed on to each Noble as a part of his annual dues. Provided, that the expenditure in any one year shall not exceed the amount collected that year. Said sums shall be remitted to the Imperial Recorder. Fifty (50) per cent shall accompany the annual return of every Temple to the Imperial Recorder, thirty-five (35) per cent shall be remitted on or before June 1st, and the remaining fifteen (15) per cent on or before October 1st. This shall be effective January 1, 1965.

Amend Section 220, by adding the following paragraph thereto:

"For a period of one year only, from July 31, 1964, any prospective candidate for initiation may, if he so desires, petition a Temple in another State, Province or the District of Columbia that is nearer to his actual residence than the Temple or Temples in whose jurisdiction he lives, and the filing of such petition shall constitute a Waiver from such Temple or Temples.

The section would then read as follows:

Sec. 220. **TEMPLE MUST PROCURE WAIVER, WHEN.** A Temple shall not act upon a petition for initiation of any one residing within the exclusive jurisdiction of another Temple, without first obtaining permission of such Temple. It shall be competent in such cases for the Temple to waive its jurisdiction and permit another Temple to confer the Order upon one residing within its jurisdiction; provided, that where the fee of the Temple granting a waiver is greater than the fee of the Temple requesting the waiver, the candidate shall pay to the Temple which asks for the waiver a fee equivalent to the fee he would have been required to pay had he petitioned the Temple in whose jurisdiction he resides and which grants the waiver. The Temple which asks for the waiver shall then remit the difference in fee to the Imperial Recorder and that amount shall go into a fund for the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. No Potentate, however, shall have the power in himself to grant such waiver, but it shall be given only by authority and under the seal of the Temple so granting it. A Temple cannot grant a blanket waiver. Temples having concurrent jurisdiction must notify each other of the names and addresses of all candidates rejected, or to whom objections have been made, residing in the territory over which their jurisdiction is concurrent.

A Representative of Alhambra Temple has submitted an amendment to Article XXXVI, Temples in Tennessee, as concerns Alhambra and Kerbela Temples. These paragraphs presently read as follows:

ALHAMBRA TEMPLE

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the County of Polk and all territory lying west of the Counties of Scott, Morgan, Roane, Loudon, Monroe and Polk at present coming within the jurisdiction of Alhambra Temple.

Has concurrent jurisdiction with Kerbela Temple in the Counties of Scott, Morgan, Roane, Loudon and Monroe in the State of Tennessee; and has concurrent jurisdiction with Yaarab Temple of Atlanta, Georgia, over the Counties of Catoosa, Dade, and Walker in the State of Georgia, in accordance with that certain agreement entered into between Yaarab Temple of Atlanta, Georgia and Alhambra Temple; and has concurrent jurisdiction with Al Menah Temple in the Counties of Grundy, Franklin and Warren in the State of Tennessee.

(Agreement between Zamora and Alhambra Temples as to concurrent jurisdiction in Certain Counties, 1949. No amendment to this Article.)

KERBELA TEMPLE

Has exclusive jurisdiction in Campbell, Anderson, Knox, Blount and all counties lying east thereof in the State of Tennessee.

Has concurrent jurisdiction with Alhambra Temple in the Counties of Scott, Morgan, Roane, Loudon, and Monroe, in the State of Tennessee.

If amended, Article XXXVI, Temples in Tennessee, as concerns Alhambra and Kerbela Temples, would read as follows:

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Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Polk, Scott, Morgan, Roane, Loudon and Monroe and all territory lying west of these Counties at present coming within the jurisdiction of Alhambra Temple.

Has concurrent jurisdiction with Yaarab Temple of Atlanta, Georgia, over the Counties of Catoosa, Dade and Walker in the State of Georgia, in accordance with that certain agreement entered into between Yaarab Temple of Atlanta, Georgia and Alhambra Temple; and has concurrent jurisdiction with Al Menah Temple in the Counties of Grundy, Franklin and Warren in the State of Tennessee.

(Agreement between Zamora and Alhambra Temples as to concurrent jurisdiction in Certain Counties, 1949. No amendment to this Article.)

KERBELA TEMPLE

Has exclusive jurisdiction in Campbell, Anderson, Knox, Blount and all counties lying east thereof in the State of Tennessee.

The Imperial Potentate may, at his discretion, suspend the work of any Temple, or discipline any individual Noble belonging to any Temple violating the provisions of this Section, until the next meeting of the Imperial Council. For a period of one year only, from July 31, 1964, any prospective candidate for initiation may, if he so desires, petition a Temple in another State, Province or the District of Columbia that is nearer to his actual residence than the Temple or Temples in whose jurisdiction he lives, and the filing of such petition shall constitute a Waiver from such Temple or Temples.

Amend. 1952.

REQUESTS FOR NEW TEMPLES

A request for a dispensation for a new Temple to be located in San Jose, California, has been received.

A request for a dispensation for a new Temple to be located in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, has been received.

POTENTATES, PLEASE NOTE

The following instructions are to be given to your Temple Marshal, Parade Marshal and Unit Heads:

The Day Parade will start promptly at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, July 21. The route of march, starting at 95th Street and Fifth Avenue, down Fifth Avenue to 64th Street. At this point, the parade will "break up" and be dispersed at three different points, 64th Street, 63rd Street, and 62nd Street. Marching Units will enter two of these streets, and the third street, rolling stock of all types and animals will be diverted.

The Night Parade will start promptly at 6:15 p.m. on Thursday, July 23, assemble and pass through the World's Fair Grounds, exit, and into the area of the new Shea Stadium, the home of the New York Mets, which is immediately adjacent to the Fair Grounds. Spectators will require admission tickets.

You will further note that the "Day and Night Parades" are at two distinct points separated by many miles of congested streets, bridges and highways. Because of this, we must stress that every phase and detail of the prearranged movements, hotel pick-ups, and designated arrivals at "assembly points" etc. must be absolutely adhered to.

Present statistics indicate that there will be a minimum of 75 Temples in line of march, and in numerical strength approximately 20,000 Shriners, not counting rolling stock, animals, etc., or over a 100% increase in any previous Shrine parade. Therefore, the length of the parade, with relation to time, is of great concern. Accordingly, special attention by the Temple Marshal and Unit Heads must be given to *Formation, Cadence and Intervals* between Temples and Units.

The forthcoming Imperial Marshal's parade order will be definitely enforced in order that these exceptionally lengthy parades consume a minimum of time.

In order to reduce the time to a minimum, with relation to the length of the parades, Unit formations will be as follows:

Day Parade will be broad "Platoon Front". Fifth Avenue, width 45 feet.

Units: having more than 48 men will march in Platoon front formation, with not less than 12 men abreast.

Units: having not more than 48 men nor less than 24, will march in Platoon front formation, with not less than 8 men abreast.

Units: having not more than 24 men will march not less than 4 men abreast.

Night Parade: Fair Grounds

Gate entrance: 12 feet

Width of streets: 22 feet

Underpasses: 12 feet

Formations: Shall be your standard.

Night Parade: Shea Stadium

In perambulating and passing review within the Stadium, all Units will be required to parade through an area 12 feet wide.

Formations

All formations shall be your standard. Special attention shall be given by "Unit Heads" to march as many men abreast as possible in order to shorten this parade in length and in time consumed.

Units shall be pre-drilled to execute movements from "wide to narrow formations" in order that they may pass through the 12 foot width area within the Stadium.

All movements must definitely be FORWARD.

Exhibition drill formations and movements by marching, mounted, motorcycles and scooter units, etc. that delay the forward motion of the parade absolutely will not be permitted.

OFFICIAL PARADE ORDER

Much time, thought and effort goes into the preparation of Official Parade Orders for Imperial Council Parades at Imperial Council Sessions, and in order to insure the very best and most efficient parade for all concerned, these orders must be strictly observed.

No Temple Officers will be permitted in the Parades without their Temple Uniformed Units. No floats will be permitted in the Parades unless they have been approved by Director General, Clifford E. Brundage, whose office is located in the New York Hilton Hotel, c/o Shrine Convention Headquarters.

The attention of all Potentates and heads of Uniformed Units is again specifically directed to the previous General Orders with reference to explicit parade regulations quoted below:

SPECIAL MESSAGE RELATING TO SHRINE PARADES

1. The purpose of the Shrine Imperial Session "Parades" is to offer an opportunity for all participating Temples to display in public much of the pageantry and glamour of the Shrine. To effectuate their full purpose, however, the Parades should also afford pleasure for all marching Units, who make a great display possible.

Especially in recent years, there have been very reasonable grounds for criticism by a growing number of Temples. Splendid marching Units and Temples with special display features, located by numerical precedence early in the parade, on the actual line of march, have executed spectacular street drills, which in themselves add much to the general picture, but which retard the forward movement of the parade as a whole.

As a result many of our newer Temples, located far back in the line of march, have unquestionably taken punishment as a result of:

- (a) The forward movement of the parading column has been completely halted;
- (b) There have been exasperating delays; (c) Units have been required to stand in line, not for minutes, but hours, as a result of the cumulative loss of time due to repeated feature specialties and street maneuvers by units "marching" nearer the head of the line, and (d) Due to repeated delays in the line ahead, units marching numerically nearer the end of the parade, have found themselves weary and disgusted, marching down deserted streets. **THIS CONDITION MUST DEFINITELY BE CORRECTED AND WE FULLY INTEND TO TRY AND DO SO IN BOTH OF THESE PARADES.**

The order now issued by your Imperial Potentate relating to parades in New York City, may prove unpopular or it may approach a reasonable solution. You have his assurance that the decision has been reached only after long and earnest consideration of the problem.

Both parades in New York will be parades throughout and in no part a pageant. Only "forward marching movements" will be permitted. Such a movement may be defined as a marching movement which at no time during the parade causes a following unit, in either the same Temple or any other Temple, to mark time, or cease forward progress. The order is to be complied with not only according to the letter, but also the spirit of the ruling. In other words, no units of a Temple are indirectly to violate the order of having undue distances between units.

In a very serious effort to help cure conditions enumerated above, A "DEPUTY PARADE MARSHAL," IDENTIFIED BY A MULTI SHRINE COLORED PITH HELMET WILL BE ASSIGNED TO ACCOMPANY EACH TEMPLE, DIRECT AND ENFORCE PARADE REGULATIONS, FROM THE TIME YOUR UNITS LEAVE YOUR HOTEL UNTIL YOUR TEMPLE CONCLUDES ITS PARTICIPATION IN BOTH PARADES, AND HIS INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE OBEYED.

Your Imperial Potentate believes that every Potentate thus notified in advance, and with the order applicable to all, will graciously comply with the above directive. Units not desiring to comply with this parade regulation are not to form in line for the parades. The regulation will be rigidly enforced. Units of any Temple violating the parade regulations will be excluded from the parades. The Potentate of each Temple is responsible and accountable for the conduct of each unit of his Temple on parade, and the Commander of each parading Temple unit is accountable for his unit. Your Imperial Potentate has every confidence that the loyal cooperation of the Nobility will permit no violation of any regulation which plainly assures fair play for all, and that no disciplinary action will be necessary.

Any question whether a given street maneuver is a retarding marching movement should be submitted to the Imperial Marshal at least 30 days before the Imperial Session.

2. Motor Vehicles & Rolling Stock—The exceptional number of Temples participating in this year's Imperial Session's parades, naturally brings about a condition requiring strict and definite controls. There has never been an Imperial Session with a minimum of 75 Temples participating in the parades, and particularly where all of the Temples and their Units have increased numbers due to the location being New York City along with a World's Fair thrown in to boot.

One (1) car will be furnished to each participating Temple for use in both parades, the same to be occupied by the Potentate and Divan of the Temple. No more than five (5) Nobles, including the driver (furnished by the Temple) will be permitted in the car. In no event is any Temple to have more than ONE CAR IN THE PARADES.

3. Marching cadence will be 100 steps to the minute.

4. Intervals of not over 50 feet between Temples, and 20 feet between units' shall be constantly maintained.

5. The Reviewing Stand for the Day Parade will be located on Fifth Avenue at 69th Street, EYES RIGHT.

Reviewing Stand for the Night Parade will be in Shea Stadium, EYES LEFT.

At the Reviewing Stands, Temple Divans will give hand salute, or eyes right or left, but not stop to salaam. Temple Potentates will remain in their cars and not mount the Reviewing Stand.

6. Special attention is called to the fact that the Imperial Marshal and his Deputies are merely enforcing the directions of the Imperial Potentate. Courteous and prompt cooperation is expected of the Nobility.

7. Attention of all Potentates, with reference to any and all Shrine parades, is also called to the specific provisions of Section 227 of the Imperial Code, which provides that "no one shall be permitted to participate but members of the Order, uniformed units, and male servants accompanying the Temple. No females or female impersonators shall be permitted to participate in parades." A Potentate is personally responsible and accountable for knowingly permitting any violation of this regulation. Unless and until Shrine custom is changed to the contrary, no children, no woman or girl, has any place in a Shrine parade. Proper Shrine policing at successive points of any Shrine parade route should certainly guarantee against any violation of the above rule.

8. If your Uniformed Units attend the Imperial Council Session in New York City, it will be necessary for you to supply two members of your Temple (preferably members with law enforcement experience) to act as Provost Guards during the Imperial Council Session.

Provost Marshal is Noble Arthur W. Wallander, former Police Commissioner of the City of New York.

Provost Headquarters will be in Shrine Convention Headquarters, New York Hilton Hotel, New York City. Each Potentate will kindly advise Noble Wallander the names of the two (2) Nobles who will serve on this Provost Guard, and the names must be submitted in duplicate. The members of the Provost Guard are to be instructed that they will meet with the Commissioner, Noble Wallander, for indoctrination, etc. on Monday, July 20, at 4:00 p.m. at his headquarters (Check bulletin board for location).

ARTICLE XXVII, Sec. 229. STREET PARADES. COSTUMES. The appearance in street parades of novices or Nobles in costume, dress or other attire calculated to bring reproach upon the Order is prohibited.

IMPORTANT

FOR THE PURPOSE OF AVOIDING POSSIBLE CRITICISM AT THE NEW YORK 1964 IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION, NO NUBIAN SLAVE COSTUMES OR BLACK-FACED CLOWNS, OR ANY SIMILAR COSTUME OR MAKE-UP, WILL BE PERMITTED IN PARADES, ON THE STREETS, OR IN HOTELS OR OTHER PUBLIC PLACES IN NEW YORK CITY.

FORBIDDEN TO USE

POTENTATES ARE ADVISED THAT THE USE OF WATER PISTOLS, ELECTRIC CANES, ELECTRIC BRIEF CASES, SNAKES OR OTHER REPTILES, FIRECRACKERS, CANNONS, SIRENS AND OTHER OBJECTIONABLE DEVICES, WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.

These special orders will be strictly enforced by the prompt discipline of any Noble or Temple violating this order or permitting it to be violated.

Membership attending this Imperial Council Session should be so cautioned regarding the above.

No Temple officers will be permitted in the parades without their Temple

Uniformed Units. No more than one car will be permitted for a Temple with marching units. No floats will be permitted in the parades unless they are approved by Director General Clifford E. Brundage, whose office is located in the Warwick Hotel, c/o Shrine Convention Headquarters, Suite 420, 65 West 54th Street, New York City, N.Y. 10019. After June 1, Noble Brundage's office will be located in The New York Hilton Hotel.

ROLL CALL

The Imperial Potentate advises that there will be a roll call of Representatives at any time during the sessions of the Imperial Council. Please take due notice and maintain constant attendance at all business sessions of the Imperial Council.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

It is suggested that it would simplify the details of registration if the Representatives of the various temples will arrange to register at the same time, if this can be done conveniently.

Attention is called to the fact that each Representative in coming to the Imperial Council Session should not overlook his CREDENTIALS, his CURRENT CARD and his HOTEL ASSIGNMENT CONFIRMATION. If he contemplates using his Directory at the meeting, he should not neglect to bring his individual copy with him.

Official notice has been received that the following Illustrious Nobles, listed alphabetically by Temple name, will be candidates for Imperial Outer Guard:

J. Carroll Hinsley,	Ben Hur Temple
Henry B. Struby,	Hadi Temple
C. Victor Thornton,	Moslah Temple
Robert J. Turley,	Oleika Temple
Jacob A. Wingerter,	Salaam Temple

BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The Building and Equipment Committee will meet in the Murray Hill Suite of the New York Hilton Hotel on Saturday, July 11, at 9:00 a.m.

The Investment Committee will meet in the Murray Hill Suite of the New York Hilton Hotel on Monday, July 13, at 9:00 a.m.

A joint meeting of the Board of Directors and the Board of Trustees, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, will be held in the New York Hilton Hotel, Murray Hill Suite, on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 14 and 15, 1964, at 9:00 A.M.

The BOARD OF DIRECTORS, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, and Imperial Divan, will meet in the Murray Hill Suite of The New York Hilton Hotel on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 16, 17 and 18, at 9:00 A.M.

The JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS COMMITTEE will meet on Friday, July 17 in Room 537 of The New York Hilton Hotel.

The FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE will meet on Saturday, July 18, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 543 of The New York Hilton Hotel.

The DISPENSATIONS AND CHARTERS COMMITTEE will meet in Room 551 of The New York Hilton Hotel on Saturday, July 18, at 9:00 a.m.

The GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS COMMITTEE will meet in Room 504 551 of The New York Hilton Hotel on Saturday, July 18, at 9:00 a.m.

The JURISDICTIONAL LINES COMMITTEE will meet in Room 548 of The New York Hilton Hotel on Monday, July 20, at 9:00 a.m.

The REVISION COMMITTEE will meet in Room 540 of The New York Hilton Hotel on July 15 to July 21, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day.

The MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE of the Imperial Council will meet with all Temple Officers and Representatives in the Sutton Room of The New York Hilton Hotel on Monday, July 20, 1964, at 1:30 P.M. All Nobles interested in membership promotion work are cordially invited to attend. Illustrious Sir Paul B. McCray, Chairman, and Illustrious Sir Elliott Young, Secretary, of the Imperial Council Membership Committee, will be in charge of this meeting.

Other Committees will meet on call as the occasion arises.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF ALL REPRESENTATIVES, POTENTATES, CHIEF RABBANS, RECORDERS AND INTERESTED SHRINE WORKERS

On Thursday, July 23, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., all Representatives, Potentates, Chief Rabbans, Recorders and members of Temple Membership Committees in attendance at this session of the Imperial Council are urged and expected to attend an important discussion to be conducted by Imperial Potentate-Elect O. Carlyle Brock. This meeting is not restricted to those mentioned above, but all members of the Imperial Council are cordially invited to this discussion. All members of the Shrine are extended a special invitation. The meeting will be held in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel and the Imperial Council will convene immediately following the close of this meeting.

It is directed that a summary of this General Orders No. 4 be read to the Nobility of each Temple at the first Session following its receipt, and record of the entire General Orders be made upon the minutes of the Session at which the Summary is read.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Imperial Council this 15th day of June, A.D. 1964, and of the Order, A.H. 1383.

HAROLD C. CLOSE
Imperial Potentate

Attest:
GEORGE M. SAUNDERS
Imperial Recorder

SUMMARY of General Orders No. 4

This General Orders contains the Call for the Annual Session of the Imperial Council, a list of committees appointed by the Imperial Potentate, announcements, miscellaneous instructions and information for Temple Officers and Nobles and other items of value to all Nobles.

The complete details of all General Orders are to be kept on file in the Recorder's Office and will be made available to any Noble for review.

**SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN
(A Colorado Corporation)**

Chicago, Illinois, June 15, 1964

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

To All Members of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children,
a Colorado Corporation:

You are hereby notified that the Annual Meeting of Shriners Hospitals For Crippled Children will be held in The New York Hilton Hotel in the City of New York, County and State of New York, on July 21, 22, 23 and 24, 1964.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

At the 1961 Imperial Council Session in Miami, the members by Resolution required the Chairman of the Board of Directors to appoint a Committee to undertake a revision and codification of the By-Laws of the Colorado Corporation. This Committee was appointed and has labored for three years. Its report was mailed to each Representative on or about April 5, 1964. At the same time a copy of the 1963 By-Laws was mailed to each Representative.

The members of this corporation on the Revision Committee have submitted a proposal to amend the By-Laws by repealing the existing provisions and enacting in lieu thereof the provisions set forth in the report of the Revision Committee. Reference is hereby made to the copy of the present By-Laws sent you as that presently existing and to be amended. Reference is hereby made to the copy of the proposed By-Laws heretofore sent you for the By-Laws as the same will read if the proposed amendments are adopted.

By direction of the Chairman of the Board.

**SHRINERS HOSPITAL FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN,
A Colorado Corporation**

Imperial Potentate
HAROLD C. CLOSE
(Chairman—Board of Directors)

Attest:
Imperial Recorder
GEORGE M. SAUNDERS
(Secretary)

We will continue business but these reports, as I indicated earlier, will be up here and one Representative from each Temple can come up and receive them. They are in envelopes and there are things in the envelopes for the Representatives and the Recorders from your Temples.

(The envelopes were distributed at this time.)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, the next order of business is the report of the Chairman of the Committee on Transactions of Imperial Officers. I recognize the Potentate of Murat Temple, Alex M. Clark.

NOBLE ALEX M. CLARK: (Reading)

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSACTIONS OF IMPERIAL OFFICERS

To the Members of the Imperial Council A.A.O.N.M.S.

Your Committee on Transactions of Imperial Officers, to whom the report of the Imperial Potentate, Harold C. Close, was referred, submits the following recommendations:

1. That all matters relating to finance, revenue, expenditures and bonds be referred to the Committee on Finance and Accounts.
2. That all matters relative to edicts, orders, decisions and recommendations as to Statutes and Laws be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws.
3. That all matters pertaining to grievances and appeals be referred to the Committee on Grievances and Appeals.
4. That all matters pertaining to dispensations and charters be referred to the Committee on Dispensation and Charters.
5. That all matters pertaining to jurisdictional lines be referred to the Committee on Jurisdictional Lines.

Your Committee desires at this time to record its endorsement of the able and efficient administration of Harold C. Close as Imperial Potentate. He is intensely interested in the business of the Shrine.

He requested the various Temples on the occasion of his official visit, to arrange a meeting with Temple Officers and Representatives for the purpose of intimately discussing Shrine business and plans for this Ninetieth Imperial Council Session.

These meetings proved most successful and have led to a better understanding between the Representatives and the Imperial Divan and they have been a benefit to our Order. His efforts to establish better communications between the Representatives and the Imperial Divan, both before and during this session are also recognized and endorsed.

COMMITTEE ON TRANSACTIONS OF IMPERIAL OFFICERS

ALEX M. CLARK, *Chairman*
LEONARD P. STEUART
HARVEY A. BEFFA
REMMIE L. ARNOLD
WALTER C. GUY
THOMAS W. MELHAM
GEORGE M. KLEPPER
MARK T. GATES
R. S. LANG

Respectfully submitted and I hereby move the adoption of this report.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Is the motion seconded? (*Motion seconded*) The motion is on the adoption of the report. This simply carries out the provisions of the law that provide for topical reference of various recommendations made by the Imperial Potentate to the various Committees. Will you remark on the motion?

All those in favor of the adoption of the report say, "Aye." Opposed. The report is adopted.

Imperial Recorder George, do you have any announcements?

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir and Nobles. On the agenda at this time we usually ask for or suggest a motion that a telegram from this Imperial Council be sent to those Imperial Officers, Past Imperial Officers and Emeriti Members who are absent from this meeting, and it would therefore be a pleasure for me to make such a motion if the Imperial Potentate recognizes it.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The motion is that all members of this Imperial Council who have not been able to be present at this meeting be sent a telegram of greetings and regrets. (*Motion seconded*) All those in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. Voted.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir. In the past when you have registered in your envelope there has been a little slip, like the one I hold in my hand, having to do with some blank lines if you want one of your number to pick up your checks at the end of the Session. They were not in your envelope at this time and it is suggested that one of your number pick up one of these tomorrow morning when you pick up your book of ballots when you come to the meeting. That will facilitate the payoff date so you don't all of you have to stand in line to get your checks.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir, I thought we were holding those slips up until we saw how the per capita tax went.

Are there any other announcements on the Imperial Recorder's desk?

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: The only other announcement is on the election and pageant tomorrow morning and you want to recognize the Chairman of the Election Tellers.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, the only other announcement at this time, I am sure you recognize the first order of business on the second day of the Session is the election of Officers. First is the election of the Imperial Potentate and that is followed by his pageant. Following that we will have the election of the Officers and the Outer Guard. I am going to ask the Chairman of the Election Tellers Committee to make an announcement how this will be handled so you will be familiar with it in the morning.

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: Imperial Sir and Representatives. As you have previously been advised by your Imperial Potentate, tomorrow will be election day. As you arrive at this convention hall immediately outside of these doors you will find tables where ballots will be distributed as in the past. We suggest that you be sure and have your Representative's badge available. If not, we ask that you have your Representative's Credential card which was mailed to you by the Imperial Recorder's office shortly after the first of the year.

The procedure has been changed somewhat this year. Ballots will be distributed to you but once. Upon your arrival in the morning you will receive a book of ballots. There will be twelve ballots in this book numbered from 1 through 12. There will be no ballots issued after the distribution tables are closed tomorrow noon. If there are ballots uncalled for or unclaimed as of that time it will be necessary for you to go to the Imperial Recorder's office to secure them.

We have given this considerable study, Nobles, to try to work out some confusion that has been caused in the past in securing ballots and voting them which caused a big interruption during your Imperial Council business session. We solicit your cooperation to the end that this will move successfully and conserve a lot of valuable time.

Now you probably are wondering how we are going to vote. I can't tell you how you are going to vote but I can tell you where you are going to vote. You are going to vote from the seats in which you are seated. If any of you have been to church lately you will probably remember that they pass a collection plate. We are not going to pass a collection plate but we are going to pass a ballot box. The ballot box will be passed down through the various rows and you will vote from the position where you are seated. As I understand, there will be placards at the end of the designated areas indicating your Temple's name. On the back of each seat will be the Representative's name. We ask that you remain in your seats and the vote will be collected from that position. The votes will not be collected from the front of the room or in the aiseways or at the rear of the room. We hope that this system works and, as I said a moment ago, we solicit your cooperation to this end.

I would ask the members of the Election Tellers, Judges and Clerks Committee to meet with me immediately following this session at your right and my left. It will take about ten or fifteen minutes and we won't detain you but if we may have your cooperation it would be appreciated. Thank you so much. *(Applause)*

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you very much, Chairman of the Election Tellers Committee, Clyde Oliver.

As Clyde indicated, there will be seating arrangements during the business session as we had several years ago, something like a political convention. There will be standards indicating each Temple and each Representative's name will be on the back of a chair. This will make it easier to find the other Representatives from your Temple and I think it will help to have a constructive session.

As you know you will see many innovations in New York at this Imperial Council Session. Whether they are an improvement or not is up to you to determine. In the matter of the ballot box we will have, we have seen you standing in line so long to get ballots and deposit them. We thought if you stood in line once and got a book of ballots it would make it easier. Anticipating there may be a secret ballot or paper ballot on some controversial issue this book contains ballots where you simply mark yes or no. These are marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and so on, and each a different color. If such a motion prevails to vote by paper ballot the Chair will announce at that time the number of the ballot and color to be used on that particular question.

Many of you have been advised about the banquet seating arrangement at the Imperial Potentate's banquet to be held in this room. I have mentioned to many of you some of the problems involved. I just want to repeat the fact that every Representative who is entitled to a seat will have a seat at a designated table and regardless of what time you come to the banquet that seat will be available. Now I would encourage you to come for this reason. These banquet tickets are going to cost better than \$20 apiece here in New York. Many times we have as many as 200 Representatives who do not show up. That happens. When we are guaranteeing the hotel for everybody here of course the corporation ends up paying the hotel

\$4,000 to \$5,000 for absolutely nothing. I think in the past many of you have been discouraged because you have enjoyed a little social hour and it got late and you felt, "Well, if we go down there now we won't get a seat and let's go some place else." This year there will be a seat for you at the same table whether you come early or late. I hope you will come and will be well repaid for the evening we have for you.

Now I would like to have the Deputy Imperial Potentate explain to you what will take place tomorrow morning following the election. (*Applause*)

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Potentate, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. They tell me they are going to nominate and elect another Imperial Potentate tomorrow. I have endeavored to prevail on your present Imperial Potentate to serve for another year and to allow me to remain again as his Deputy but he doesn't feel so inclined.

The Imperial Potentate informs me that he is going to call this meeting to order tomorrow morning for the purpose of electing an Imperial Potentate at nine o'clock sharp. After he is elected the doors will be opened. You and your ladies and members of your Temple are welcome to come to see this pageant. I cannot recommend it because I have not seen it. I came through that door yesterday in time to see a picture of my Emily on the screen and the aides from Zem Zem Temple unceremoniously ushered me out telling me I couldn't see it. I asked the Potentate why and he said, "You will want to change it all around and it is too late in the game to do that." (*Laughter*)

This will be a strictly homespun affair put on by my Temple. There is no professional talent. I think possibly that you will enjoy it. I hope I do. However, remember that you are all welcome and we will be happy to see you here on the morrow. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Carlyle.

I believe the Imperial Recorder has one or two more brief announcements.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir and Nobles. Just one admonition on the ballot book. Remember the book will be issued to the Representatives only once. There will be no re-issue. You must carry that book of ballots with you throughout the entire meeting. Don't leave it in your room. Have it in your pocket because you don't know when a ballot will be needed out of the book and you don't know whether it will be No. 6 or No. 4 or what color. The Imperial Potentate will announce that at the time the ballot is called for.

Carl Pierson, Chairman of the Transportation Committee, requests the members of his Committee to meet him at the piano immediately at the close of the Session.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, George. Are there any other announcements?

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Nothing on the Recorder's desk.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Does anybody have questions on the procedures for tomorrow or anything? If there are no other announcements the meeting is recessed until nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

(The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., recessed)

at 4:20 P.M. to reconvene at 9 A.M., Wednesday, July 22, 1964, in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel.)

MORNING SESSION

Wednesday, July 22, 1964

Nine Five o'Clock A.M.

The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council A.A.O.N.M.S. reconvened in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel, New York City, New York, Wednesday, July 22, 1964, at 9:05 A.M., Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close presiding.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, come to order please and take your seats. I will ask you to give your attention to our Imperial Chaplain, Russell Camp.

REV. AND NOBLE RUSSELL E. CAMP: Let us pray. Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, by Whom we all live and in Whom is all truth, we thank Thee that we are set amongst this rich brotherhood of life and in our best moments we are conscious of a mysterious power beyond ourselves which quickens and ennobles. As we invoke Thy Blessing on our deliberations this day, O God, we pray not only for success but sincerity. We ask not for special privileges but for grace to serve the public good faithfully and well that all we do this day may be done in decency and in order and according to Thy Holy Will. In Thy Name we pray. Amen.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I believe our Imperial Recorder has some brief announcements.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: The first order of business is the election of the Imperial Potentate and immediately after the election of the Imperial Potentate we are going to ask the members of the Imperial Council in the first six rows of seats in this section to move to the side sections in order to let the Imperial ladies and the ladies of our distinguished guests to come in and view the pageant. I am sure you won't mind loaning your seats temporarily to those ladies.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, according to our By-laws the first order of business is the election. At this time I am pleased to recognize Past Potentate of Zem Zem Temple Jim McKnight.

NOBLE JAMES A. MCKNIGHT: Imperial Potentate, Imperial Sirs and Representatives of the Shrine of North America. This, for me, is a most happy occasion. A few short years ago as the Potentate of Zem Zem Temple, it was my privilege and pleasure to place in nomination a Noble of the Mystic Shrine for the position of Imperial Outer Guard. This morning he stands on the threshold of leading the greatest fraternity in the world.

His time, talents and efforts have always been devoted to the uplifting of Masonry and particularly our great fraternity. I am honored to nominate O. Carlyle Brock, our present Deputy Imperial Potentate, for the office of Imperial Potentate for the ensuing term. To conserve time I deem it unnecessary that I read to you his outstanding Masonic record, copy of which is contained in the booklet furnished each Representative of this Imperial Council. However, I am asking that such record be recorded in the minutes of our meeting and I have previously given such record to our official reporter.

(Here follows the civic and Masonic record of Noble O. Carlyle Brock.)

O. Carlyle Brock was born in Glen Sutton, Quebec, Canada, and was educated in the Glen Sutton Public Schools, Sutton Academy, Stanstead Wesleyan College, Macdonald College, McGill University, and Cornell University.

He is President, Treasurer and General Manager, Sanitary Farms Dairy, Inc., Chairman of the Board and Treasurer, Gem City Dairy, Inc., all of Erie, Pa.; Chairman of the Board and Treasurer, Fenton Dairy, Inc., Titusville, Pa.; Director of the Nog Chocolate Company, Inc., Dunkirk, N. Y.; Owner of Brockvale Farms, Glen Sutton, Que., Canada . . . Communicant, Cathedral of St. Paul, Erie, Pa., and the Church of the Good Shepherd, Glen Sutton, Que. His home is in Erie with his wife, Emily Ann, and two young sons, Stuart and Hubert. An older married son, Omar Carlyle Brock III, resides in Erie, and a married daughter Grachia Carolyn Brock Minton, makes her home in Midland, Tex. There are three grandsons and three granddaughters.

He is a soldier, world traveler, scholar, naturalist, writer, lecturer, explorer, and big game hunter. He became a Mason at the age of 21, was raised in and later served as Master of St. John's Lodge No. 27, A.F. & A.M.; Past High Priest, Mont Sutton Chapter No. 16, R.A.M., Past D.D. Grand High Priest, Bedford District, R.A.M.; Past Commander, Rose Croix Commandery No. 38, K.T.; Past Sovereign Bedford Conclave No. 13, Past Sovereign, St. John's Conclave No. 24, Red Cross of Constantine; Past Thrice Potent Master, Presque Isle Lodge of Perfection, Scottish Rite; Past Monarch, Erepa Grotto, Past Grand Monarch, Supreme Council, M.O.V.P.E.R. of North America; Past Potentate Zem Zem Temple; Past Worthy Patron, Betsy Ross Chapter O.E.S.; Past Royal Patron, Coronet Court Amaranth; Past Grand Royal Patron, Grand Court of Pennsylvania; member, The Cabiri; Royal Order of Jesters; Sutton Lodge No. 39, A.F. & A.M.; Royal Order of Scotland; Knight Masons of Ireland; Grand College of Rites of the U.S.A.; Grand Masters Council, Allied Masonic Degrees; active member of Supreme Council, Order of DeMolay; Coroneted 33° Honorary Northern Masonic Jurisdiction.

NOBLE JAMES A. MCKNIGHT: I am quite confident there will be no other nominations, Imperial Sir, and I move that the nominations be closed, the rules suspended and that the Potentate of Zem Zem Temple, Robert S. Schluraff, cast the unanimous ballot of this 90th Imperial Council Session for O. Carlyle Brock to be our Imperial Potentate. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Past Potentate Jim McKnight.

Nobles, you have heard the motion. Is it seconded? (*Motion seconded*) All those in favor. Opposed. I will now recognize the Potentate of Zem Zem Temple, Bob Schluraff.

NOBLE ROBERT S. SCHLURAFF: Imperial Potentate, Imperial Sirs, Representatives of the Shrine of North America. As Potentate of Zem Zem Temple it is with great pleasure that I cast the unanimous ballot of this Ninetieth Imperial Council Session for O. Carlyle Brock as the Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: It seems like a bona fide ballot and I accept it. (*Laughter and applause*)

Imperial Sir, do you accept?

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Potentate, Representatives to this great Imperial Council, I do accept with humility and dedication. I was thinking that Past Potentate Jim McKnight was most sure of himself. I shall try to be that sure. I am sure that time is of the essence but I would propose to you gentlemen who were here eleven years ago that I was supposed to be present. Then you remember the unfortunate tragedy of the mumps and I think you voted a vote of sympathy to my good wife who was trying to get me in this particular position. I know this is a happy occasion for her because the following year in Atlantic City this great assemblage unanimously elected me as Imperial Outer Guard. Where those years have gone I don't know but this day has come so quickly.

I do accept and I return this gavel to you, Imperial Sir. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Carlyle, may I thank you from the bottom of my heart for accepting and express best wishes to you and personal greetings for not only a successful year for the Shrine but for yourself as Imperial Potentate.

We will now call a recess for the purpose of witnessing the pageant of the incoming Imperial Potentate-elect, following which we will again clear the hall and go back to Shrine business.

(A short recess was taken at 9:15 A.M. following which a pageant was staged honoring the newly elected Imperial Potentate, Noble O. Carlyle Brock. Following the pageant the following ceremonies took place.)

NOBLE ROBERT S. SCHLURAFF: Imperial Sir, for ten long years your son Omar has waited for this moment and this opportunity.

(Noble Omar Carlyle Brock, III presented his father, Imperial Potentate-elect O. Carlyle Brock II, his Imperial Potentate's fez.) (*Applause*)

NOBLE ROBERT S. SCHLURAFF: Imperial Sir, George Saunders also has something for you.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Illustrious Potentate, Imperial Sir, friends of the Brocks. For nearly a century of time this Imperial Council has met and prospered until today we see it at its peak in membership and number of Temples chartered. We have been led in that time by outstanding and devoted leaders. You, Imperial Sir Carlyle, assume your place as leader behind this royal banner that has ever remained high and noble in the hearts of all Nobles. May you carry on in this tradition in good health, prosperity for the Order and true service for a work that leads the entire world of fraternal and charitable endeavors. May this flag continue to lead you in joy and happiness.

It is a distinct pleasure for me to present it to you as Imperial Potentate-elect.

(Noble George M. Saunders presented Imperial Potentate-elect Brock with the Imperial Potentate's flag.) (*Applause*)

NOBLE ROBERT S. SCHLURAFF: Carl, there is one other great honor that I have been asked to do today and this is from our sister Temples in Pennsylvania and our two Temples to the East and to the West, and this is to present you with a brand new Cadillac automobile. (*Applause*)

There is one other gift. This time I would like to call for Zerl Minor.

NOBLE ZERL B. MINOR: Imperial Sir and your lovely lady Emily, I have a presentation to make and I would like to read it.

Dear Imperial Sir O. Carlyle Brock and your lovely lady Emily, these pieces of luggage are packed full and pressed down with best wishes from all your employees. May you, Imperial Sir and your lovely lady Emily, enjoy them in health and may every journey they accompany you on ever be filled with joy for you and the fraternity to which you have devoted much of your life. (*Applause*)

That is signed by every one of your employees. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE-ELECT BROCK: Imperial Potentate, members of the Imperial Divan, Past Imperial Potentates, Nobles and ladies. No man could stand in my position today without being deeply affected. I saw upon the street of this city today a great parade and a newspaper reporter sitting beside me, who was not a Mason, said, "Why do not more people know about this great parade? For every child, every man and every woman in this great city ought to see and ought to hear this beautiful music. Here are men in the upper echelon of life marching along in the heat of the day, waiting in line in order that they may display and be not only the show window of the Shrine but of the Masonic Fraternity." He commented upon my own Temple, the joy and eagerness which seemed to be theirs, enthusiastic to show to you and to the world how much they appreciated the honor of having an Imperial Potentate. This is characterized by the great Temples of the Commonwealth and our neighbors.

My response to him was, "This is the parade to glory. These men have and are and will continue to parade to glory as they have in the past down through the years and century for the good deeds and great works are only in the beginning. These are men of the fraternity who believe in brotherly love and affection. These are the men whose charity is the greatest and it has transcended anything in the history of mankind."

So we saw them in their parade to glory as they will continue to parade and exemplify their good works and good deeds. You need not read the history in order to know that the parade to glory will continue on and carry on down through the years.

To this position I dedicate myself and my family to this great fraternity and to each and every one of you. We will give you a full measure and running over of our love, our affection and our limited ability.

The year ahead will be a good year but it will only be a good year if you will make it so. We believe in the ideals and the principles that builded America: family, fraternity, charity and country, the free institutions that builded this nation and permitted and permit our fraternities to meet.

Freedom was the inspiration in the building of the Masonic fraternity in its inception and when freedom disappears the fraternity disappears. Let us go back to the free institutions of this nation, to family, fraternity, charity and country. Ideals are light and stars. You cannot reach out and touch them. They are the lights of the seafaring man and on the desert, and once having accepted them for guidance and following them they will lead us to our destiny.

Surely Almighty God finished the world and placed on it an imperfect man whose struggle upwards to power and light would complete that path and reach

perfection. I am sure he had a place for the Shrine of North America to blaze a way and pioneer a way not only in the orthopedic field but the new path we have set for ourselves.

I dedicate myself and ask you to do so to the building of the membership of this great organization that our fraternity may know greater bounds and greater accomplishments. I ask you to join hands with me and close ranks in unity for this great Masonic Fraternity that we may march forward side by side together building anew and strengthening that which we have, that the world will know that we shall give the leadership to the nations that are ours and to the free world and that four and one-half million Masons and their families will stand as a bulwark against the forces of oppression and those who would destroy us.

I ask you to join with me and join with my family that we may emulate those great leaders who have preceded me that the task that we may accomplish may be greater and that by taking those by the hand who follow, those who follow after, will have a greater and a better year.

Truly, feet will walk this street a hundred; yea a thousand years from now and water wash these shores and time shall be no more, this great Fraternity shall stand to the glory of God, for the welfare of humanity, to the credit of the Masonic Fraternity and everlasting credit to all mankind. No one has ever seen the wind, neither you nor I, but when the palm trees bow their heads the wind is passing by. No one has seen Almighty God, neither you nor I, but when strong men bow their heads, God is standing by. (*Standing applause*)

NOBLE ROBERT S. SCHLURAFF: Ladies and gentlemen, Nobles, this completes our pageant honoring our Imperial Potentate O. Carlyle Brock. We thank you for coming this morning and being with us. Thank you.

(Recess from 11:15 A.M., to 11:30 A.M.)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I am assuming now that everybody on the lower floor here is a Representative. We would like to get along so that we can have the first ballot for Outer Guard cast before lunch so that the Tellers may be counting the ballots while we are having lunch.

If we are ready to proceed, the next order of business is the election of he who will serve you as Deputy Imperial Potentate for the ensuing year. I am happy to recognize Past Potentate of Anezeh Temple, Emilio D'Acosta.

NOBLE EMILIO D'ACOSTA: Imperial Sir, Imperial Divan, members of the Imperial Council. The Mexican delegation is grateful to you all for the support you have given to our candidate throughout these years.

Imperial Sir, I have the honor and special privilege to present to this convention the name of our Mexico's favorite son, Barney W. Collins, for the office of Deputy Imperial Potentate for the ensuing year. Hearing no other nominations I move you, Sir, that the nominations be closed, that the rules be suspended, and that the Potentate from Anezeh Temple, Joseph R. Tomlinson be permitted to cast the unanimous ballot of the convention in favor of our candidate. Thank you. (*Applause*) (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion and second. All those in favor please signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed, "No." I now recognize the Potentate of Anezeh Temple.

NOBLE J. R. TOMLINSON: Imperial Sir, all Shriners, it gives me great pleasure on behalf of 850,000 Shriners to once again name our Barney Collins for another great office in Shrinedom, Deputy Imperial Potentate.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir Barney, do you accept?

NOBLE BARNEY W. COLLINS: Si Senior. *(Laughter)* I accept and may I suggest that all of you honorable Representatives here start brushing up on your Spanish. *(Laughter and applause)*

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next office is that of Imperial Chief Rabban. The Chair recognizes the Potentate of Moslem Temple, Alex Acey.

NOBLE ALEX ACEY: Imperial Sir and Representatives to the Imperial Council. Speaking on behalf of Moslem Temple I am pleased to offer the name of Charles E. Merrill, our Imperial Assistant Rabban, for the office of Imperial Chief Rabban.

Imperial Sir, if there are no other nominations I move that the rules be suspended and that the nominations be closed and that Past Imperial Sir Walter Guy cast the unanimous ballot of this convention for Charles E. Merrill for the office of Imperial Chief Rabban. Thank you. *(Applause) (Motion seconded)*

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion. All those in favor please say, 'Aye.' Opposed. It is a vote. I recognize Past Imperial Potentate Walter Guy.

NOBLE WALTER C. GUY: Imperial Sir and Nobles. It is with pleasure that I cast the unanimous ballot of this session of the Imperial Council for Charles E. Merrill for the office of Imperial Chief Rabban for the ensuing year.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you. Imperial Sir Charles, do you accept?

NOBLE CHARLES E. MERRILL: Imperial Sir, I only hope that I have the prudence and the loyalty this coming year to justify your confidence but I assure you that I will do my very best to prove those for you. Thank you very much. *(Applause)*

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next office to fill is that of Imperial Assistant Rabban. It is a real privilege for me to recognize and present to you the Potentate of Nur Temple and the Governor of the State of Delaware, Elbert Carvel.

NOBLE ELBERT N. CARVEL: Imperial Sir and fellow Representatives. It is a pleasure to nominate a very personal and warm friend of long standing who has been very close to us of Nur Temple since its inception. He attended our first Ceremonial ten years ago and helped us obtain our charter. He was the Representative for the Imperial Council at the dedication of our new Temple several years ago and he very kindly attended my Potentate's Ball last February. About fifteen years ago when I first met him in New York neither of us dreamed that we would be here in our present roles together.

I am honored to place in nomination the name of Imperial Sir Orville F. Rush as Imperial Assistant Rabban. Hearing no further nominations, Imperial Sir, I suggest and move that the rules be suspended, the nominations be closed, and that the unanimous ballot of this assembly be cast for Imperial Sir Orville F. Rush for the office of Imperial Assistant Rabban by Illustrious Potentate Edward E. Buckley of Kena Temple. *(Applause) (Motion seconded)*

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you heard the motion. What is your pleasure? All in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. I recognize the Potentate of Kena Temple.

NOBLE EDWARD E. BUCKLEY: Imperial Sir and fellow Representatives. As Potentate of Kena Temple it is a distinct privilege to cast the unanimous ballot of this august body for the senior Past Potentate of our Temple, Imperial Sir Orville F. Rush, for Imperial Assistant Rabban.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you. Imperial Sir Orville, will you accept?

NOBLE ORVILLE F. RUSH: I do, Imperial Sir, with sincere thanks to my fellow Representatives for their continued confidence. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next office to fill is that of Imperial High Priest and Prophet. The Chair is pleased to recognize the Potentate of Medinah Temple, William Weisenborn.

NOBLE WILLIAM M. WEISENBORN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. This is an honor that comes to few men to stand here as a Representative from the third largest Temple. I bring you the greetings of Ainad Temple, East St. Louis, Wyatt Rawlings, Potentate; Ansar Temple, Springfield, George Wilbur Bell, Potentate; Mohammed Temple, Peoria, M. Carroll Baymiller, Potentate; Tebala, Rockford, David L. Klontz, Potentate; and, of course, Medinah Temple where in 1964 the accent is on youth. We bring you also the greetings of the Mayor of our City of Chicago who is still looking for a green fez. Our Governor sends his greetings. He is a member of the Shrine. Our Black Horse Troop is the official escort for the City of Chicago. We meet kings, princes and Potentates.

It becomes my honor at this time to introduce and nominate a man for the office of Imperial High Priest and Prophet who came to us in Chicago from Mayfield, Kentucky, as a young man, who earned his mark in Chicago and is in the real estate and investment business. I consider it an honor to introduce and suggest the name of Chicago's favorite son, Thomas F. Seay, for the office of Imperial High Priest and Prophet.

Imperial Sir, if there are no further suggestions I would like to have the rules suspended and have our old friend Tom Melham cast the unanimous ballot for Thomas F. Seay of Chicago. Thank you. (*Applause*) (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, if there are no further nominations, and I hear none, all those in favor of the motion please say, "Aye." Opposed. The Chair now recognizes Past Imperial Potentate Thomas W. Melham.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Imperial Sir and Representatives. In accordance with the motion just passed it is my extreme delight to cast the unanimous ballot for Thomas F. Seay for Imperial High Priest and Prophet for the ensuing term.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you. Imperial Sir Tom, do you accept?

NOBLE THOMAS F. SEAY: Imperial Sir, Representatives, I accept with honor and I hope that I can serve you with distinction. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next office is that of Imperial Oriental Guide. The Chair is happy to recognize Harold Meyer, Potentate of Affi Temple.

NOBLE HAROLD W. MEYER: Imperial Sir, fellow Representatives. It is indeed a

pleasure and honor for me to nominate for the position of Imperial Oriental Guide, Chester A. Hogan. If there are no further nominations, Imperial Sir, I suggest that the rules be suspended and we cast the unanimous vote for Chester A. Hogan for the position of Imperial Oriental Guide and I would like to have that done by none other than the Chief Rabban of Affi Temple, his twin brother, Walter Hogan. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the suggestion. All those in favor signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. I am happy to recognize Walter Hogan, Chief Rabban of Affi Temple. Which one is Walter? (*Laughter*)

NOBLE WALTER HOGAN: Imperial Sir, members. It gives me a great deal of pleasure to cast the unanimous ballot for my twin brother, Chester A. Hogan. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir Hogan, do you accept?

NOBLE CHESTER T. HOGAN: Imperial Sir, I accept. I don't know whether you Nobles are seeing double or not. Thank you very much for your continued confidence. (*Laughter and applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Next is the office of Imperial Treasurer. I am happy to recognize Past Imperial Potentate Harvey Beffa.

NOBLE HARVEY A. BEFFA: Imperial Sir, with your permission I will speak from the floor.

Imperial Sir, it is a distinct privilege and pleasure to again appear before this august body and present the name of a Past Imperial Potentate who has dedicatively served this great organization of ours as Imperial Treasurer. I give you the name of Past Imperial Potentate Leonard P. Steuart for Imperial Treasurer.

Imperial Sir, I trust there are no other nominations and, if so, I would suggest that the rules be suspended and the unanimous ballot cast by the Imperial Recorder for Leonard P. Steuart for Imperial Treasurer. (*Applause*) (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion and it has been seconded. All those in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. I recognize Imperial Recorder George Saunders.

NORLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sirs and Representatives. I am pleased to cast the unanimous ballot of this Imperial Council for Past Imperial Potentate Leonard P. Steuart for Imperial Treasurer for the ensuing year.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you. Imperial Sir L. P., do you accept?

NOBLE LEONARD P. STEUART: Imperial Sir and Nobles. Having been a member of this Imperial Council since 1920 and in harness every year, I appreciate your continued vote of confidence. I accept and will do my best. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next office is that of Imperial Recorder. I am pleased to recognize the man from Oklahoma City who says, "Call me Les," Les Swan.

NOBLE LESLIE H. SWAN: Imperial Potentate, Imperial Sirs, Representatives. I am glad that it is my turn this year to nominate the Imperial Sir for the office of

Imperial Recorder. He is, as you know, very efficient. He is kind, courteous, capable, loyal and he has rendered great service to this Imperial Council. It is my pleasure to place in nomination the name of Imperial Sir George M. Saunders to succeed himself as Imperial Recorder.

Hearing no other nominations, Imperial Potentate, I move that the nominations be closed, that the rules be suspended and that Noble W. Howard Millington, Recorder Emeritus of Mirza Temple, cast the unanimous ballot of this Imperial Council for Imperial Sir George M. Saunders for the office of Imperial Recorder for the ensuing term. (*Applause*) (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Les.

Nobles, you have heard the motion. All those in favor please say, "Aye." Hearing no opposition I am happy to recognize Howard Millington.

NOBLE W. HOWARD MILLINGTON: It is my very distinct pleasure and privilege to cast the unanimous ballot of this session of the Imperial Council for my very good friend George M. Saunders to be the Imperial Recorder for the ensuing year. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir George, do you accept?

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir Harold and Representatives, I am genuinely grateful to all of you. I do accept. Thank you so much. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next office is that of Imperial First Ceremonial Master. I am happy to recognize the Potentate of Murat Temple, Alex M. Clark.

NOBLE ALEX M. CLARK: Imperial Sir, Imperial Divan and my fellow Representatives. It gives me a great deal of personal pride and it is a great honor to me as Potentate of our Temple on behalf of our Divan, our fellow members of Murat Temple, to place in nomination for the office of Imperial First Ceremonial Master the name of J. Worth Baker who is a Past Potentate of our Temple and your present Second Ceremonial Master on the Imperial Line.

Imperial Sir, if there are no further nominations I would suggest that the rules be suspended and I would like to have you call on the Potentate of Orak Temple in Indiana, Reed Merriam, who is also President of our Indiana Shrine Association, to cast the unanimous ballot for J. Worth Baker for Imperial First Ceremonial Master. (*Applause*) (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You have heard the motion and it has been seconded. All those in favor say, "Aye." Contrary. I am happy to recognize the Potentate of Orak Temple.

NOBLE N. REED MERRIAM: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives. It is a real personal pleasure for me to cast the unanimous ballot of this body for that great Hoosier Shriner, J. Worth Baker, for the office of First Ceremonial Master for the ensuing term.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir Baker, do you accept?

NOBLE J. WORTH BAKER: Imperial Sir and Nobles, I am delighted and appreciative for the continued support you have given me. I very happily accept. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next office is that of Imperial Second Ceremonial Master. The Chair recognizes the Potentate of Aleppo Temple, Clarence Young.

NOBLE CLARENCE YOUNG: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, and Representatives to the Ninetieth Imperial Session. It is a distinct privilege and an honor for me as Potentate of Aleppo Temple to place in nomination the name of Edgar L. Turner, who is your present Imperial Marshal, for the office of Imperial Second Ceremonial Master.

Having heard no other nominations I would suggest that the nominations be closed, the rules suspended, and the privilege of casting the ballot be given, in the absence of the Potentate of Melha Temple of Springfield, Massachusetts, who is unable to be here, to give that privilege to the Chief Rabban, Carl B. Martin, for the unanimous election of Edgar Lloyd Turner as Imperial Second Ceremonial Master. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Do I hear a second? (*Motion seconded*) Nobles, you have heard the motion. All in favor please signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. The Chair now recognizes the Chief Rabban of Melha Temple.

NOBLE CARL B. MARTIN, JR.: Representing Melha Temple of Springfield, the other Temple in Massachusetts, I am delighted to cast the unanimous ballot for Edgar L. Turner for the office of Second Ceremonial Master.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir Edgar, do you accept?

NOBLE EDGAR L. TURNER: Imperial Sir and fellow Representatives. This sincerely comes as a complete surprise in view of the way the parade went off yesterday. (*Laughter*) However, I sincerely appreciate your confidence and I do accept. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The important thing is that the parade went off and I mean off. (*Laughter*)

The next office to fill is that of Imperial Captain of the Guard. The Chair recognizes Past Potentate of Al Malaikah Temple, Roger Murdoch. I am sorry, Imperial Marshal. I am sorry, Roger, hold the phone. I am happy to recognize the Potentate of Khedive Temple, Jerry Batts.

NOBLE JERRY T. BARRS, JR.: Thank you, Imperial Sir, for not overlooking us.

Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Noble Representatives of the Imperial Council. It gives me real pleasure to nominate our Imperial Sir Aubrey C. Graham, our distinguished friend and brother from Khedive Temple of Norfolk, Virginia, for the office of Imperial Marshal for the Shrine of North America for the ensuing year. I suggest that the rules be suspended, the nominations be closed, and I with pleasure call on my beloved Past Potentate of Khedive Temple, Melvin T. Blassingham, to second the nomination and cast the unanimous ballot. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you. I might add there are no seconding speeches but we will be able to cast the ballot. I certainly apologize to Aubrey Graham. I didn't mean to leave him out of the Imperial Line.

Nobles, you have heard the motion. All in favor. Opposed. Noble Blassingham.

NOBLE MELVIN T. BLASSINGHAM: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and Representatives. As Past Potentate of Khedive Temple it again becomes my great privilege and pleasure to cast the unanimous ballot for my friend of long standing and dis-

tinguished Noble of our Temple, Imperial Sir Aubrey G. Graham for Imperial Marshal for the ensuing year. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Mel. (*Applause*)

Noble Aubrey, do you accept?

NOBLE AUBREY G. GRAHAM: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. I do accept with a grateful heart and I promise you that I will give you the best that I have. Thank you so much. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The Chair now recognizes immediate Past Potentate of Al Malaika Temple, Roger Murdoch, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Imperial Captain of the Guard.

NOBLE ROGER E. MURDOCH: Imperial Sir. Imperial Sir C. P. "Chick" MacGregor is one of the most popular Past Potentates of Al Malaikah. Since he has been a member of the Imperial Divan I am sure he is one of the best known of the Past Potentates of Al Malaikah. It is now my pleasure to place him in nomination for the position of Imperial Outer Guard. (*Laughter*) I am sorry, Captain of the Guard. (*Laughter*)

I move you, Sir, if no further nominations that the rules be suspended and the Chief Rabban of Al Malaikah cast the unanimous ballot. (*Applause*) (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: This is for Imperial Captain of the Guard. All those in favor please say, "Aye." Any opposition? I recognize John Rounsavelle.

NOBLE JOHN ROUNSAVELLE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, fellow Representatives. It is my distinct pleasure as a representative of the 29,000 members of Al Malaikah Temple to cast the unanimous ballot for C. P. "Chick" MacGregor for Imperial Captain of Guard for the ensuing year.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir Chick, do you accept?

NOBLE C. P. MACGREGOR: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and Representatives, I accept and thank everyone. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Now, Nobles, we are down to the office of Imperial Outer Guard. I am going to call the candidates up here in alphabetical order, the order they are listed in the Call.

I want to announce this to you. It is unfortunate certainly that one of the candidates, Henry Struby, is unable to be present at this time. I am going to ask the Potentate of Hadi Temple to substitute for him in coming up here and drawing out of a hat numbers for position in which each candidate will be nominated. I am going to ask William C. Standring to come up in place of Henry Struby.

The first candidate is J. Carroll Hinsley of Ben Hur Temple.

While he is coming up the next is the Potentate of Hadi Temple.

I will ask you to just stand here so the Representatives can all get a good look at you.

C. Victor Thornton of Moslah Temple.

Robert J. Turley of Oleika Temple.

Jacob A. Wingerter of Salaam Temple.

Now are there any other candidates for the office of Imperial Outer Guard?

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir, I move you that the nominations for Imperial Outer Guard be closed. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor of closing the nominations say, "Aye." Contrary. Adopted.

I will ask each of them now to draw a number out of a hat which will give the order in which they will be nominated.

(The candidates for Imperial Outer Guard drew for nominating position.)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Note, Nobles, that this year the ballots are not marked because we issued them in the book. The names for Outer Guard are going to be projected on this screen so you will be able to know them and note the spelling. I hope you can all see them from the angle where you are sitting.

Number one was-drawn by Vic Thornton. I am happy to recognize Illustrious Carl Denson, Past Potentate of Arabia Temple, Houston.

NOBLE CARL T. DENSON, JR.: Imperial Potentate, Imperial Sirs, Illustrious Sirs and fellow Representatives. It is indeed a pleasure for me to place in nomination for the office of Imperial Outer Guard of the Imperial Council the name of C. Victor Thornton.

This is a man who has been weighed in the balance by his fellow men and not found wanting in any particular. He has won his spurs worthily. We wears them with honor, with distinction, with humility.

Born in the far west of humble parents he was the eldest of four boys whose mother was left a widow when Vic was seven years of age by the accidental death of his father. This outstanding man through determination and ingenuity supported himself and assisted in the maintenance of his family by working his way through the public schools of Hailey, Idaho, and through college.

In 1935 he received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Utah and graduated with honors. From college he went to Youngstown, Ohio, where he became associated with the steel industry, later being transferred to Washington, D.C.

In 1945 he came to Forth Worth, Texas, where he established a steel business. Today he is the president of two steel companies that bear his name, along with many other business enterprises which I will not enumerate but are listed in the brochures that were distributed to each of you as a Representative of the Imperial Council Session.

Vic was encouraged by many of his friends to be a candidate. I was one of those many friends. Since announcing his candidacy he has made a great campaign and visited with Representatives of over one hundred Temples throughout Shrinedom.

Noble Thornton has been a Representative to this Imperial Council for the

past eight years and is well versed in the operations of our great Order. He has the best interest of all Shrinedom at heart. He has worked with and is vitally interested in the youth of all ages. He is the father of two sons and one daughter. Having climbed the ladder of life successfully the difficult way he has compassion and a tender spot in his heart for the unfortunate. He would render invaluable service to this Imperial Council and all Shrinedom in assisting in the business affairs of our wonderful philanthropy.

Vic has executive ability, the business experience, which has all been proven, and is financially able to devote the necessary time required as an Officer of the Imperial Council.

Vic is and takes great pride in being a civic leader. He is Past President of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, having served in 1960. He has been President of the Kiwanis Club, President of the Civitan Club. He is active in the Stock Show of Fort Worth, Boy Scouts, and many other organizations.

He is an active Elder in the University Christian Church of Fort Worth, Texas, and is past Chairman of the Board of Elders.

He is Junior Warden of Julian Field Lodge No. 908. A.F. & A.M., Fort Worth, Texas. He is a 32° KCCCH in the Dallas Consistory. He is a member of the York Rite Bodies and St. Timothy Conclave Red Cross of Constantine. He is definitely a devoted family man.

Vic hails from Texas where we have twelve Shrine Temples with a combined membership of over 55,000 Nobles. His Temple is celebrating its golden anniversary this year and has wholeheartedly endorsed this favorite son as a candidate for the Office of Imperial Outer Guard without reservation as one fully capable and worthy of your favorable consideration.

His Temple was the 135th Temple to be chartered and it is now thirty-first in numerical strength among the Shrine Temples of North America.

We feel that many of the Central, South and Southwestern States with their many Shrine Temples that do not now have an Officer on the Imperial Council should be represented. Texas has not had an Imperial Officer since our late beloved Calloway Calhoun and Moslah Temple has not asked for or been honored by having a member of its Nobility as an Officer of the Imperial Council.

To you, the Representatives of this Ninetieth Imperial Council Session, it is with honor and with pride and great happiness that I present to you for your favorable consideration my good friend and fellow Texas, C. Victor Thornton, Past Potentate of Moslah Temple of Fort Worth, Texas, for the office of Outer Guard of the Imperial Council. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you. The Chair now recognizes the immediate Past Potentate of Al Menah Temple, John D. Whalley.

NOBLE JOHN D. WHALLEY: Imperial Sir, my Fellow Nobles. We have come together this morning to make the first of the great decisions we will face in this Ninetieth Session of the Imperial Council. While the problems which will confront us later in the Session are of momentous consequence, the action which we are now about to take concerns the very life of our Order and the future of the Shrine.

In these times of turmoil and uncertainty our Fraternity must stand forth as an inspiration to all men by maintaining the principles upon which this country was founded, by resisting the attempts of those who would steal our God-given gift of individual dignity. It must follow then, my Brethren, that to insure our future we must continue the high quality of leadership which has graced our past and made possible our present eminence.

You are to be congratuated in that the members of your Temples have displayed such confidence in selecting you to act in their behalf in this matter. Yours is the burden of choosing one of our members who in years to come will be called upon to stand before the world as the representative of Shrinedom and all it represents.

We are fortunate, in that more than one man of high caliber has made himself available to us. I sincerely hope, however, that you will see fit this morning to cast your ballot for the Noble whose name I put in nomination, reserving to the future the services of the others.

Your time is much too valuable to be consumed with the recitation of pedigrees. Suffice it to say the man I offer for your consideration has an outstanding record of service to his Faith, his country, to our Masonic origins and to us.

He has been a lay-preacher and a Sunday School teacher in the Baptist Church for many years, as well as a respective leader in civic affairs in his community. The regard of his fellow lawyers is attested by his prominence in State and local Bar Associations.

He is Past Master of the oldest and largest Blue Lodge in Kentucky and holds membership in both the Scottish and York Rites. In testimony of his contribution to the latter he has been elected to membership in the Red Cross of Constantine.

As Potentate of his Temple he was acknowledged as an able leader and administrator. His work in our great philanthropy has helped brighten many hours of crippled children. His service in this body spans a number of years and has embraced major responsibilities. It is a record of which anyone can be justly proud and is a true indication of his devotion to the principles of Shrinedom.

Let me speak to you of one further matter. In the truest spirit of our history and tradition he accepted the will of his peers in Chicago last year as a gentleman and Shriner should, concealed his disappointment and convinced us all he possesses that indefinable quality of greatness of which our leaders are made. Yes, my Brethren, this man has proved himself worthy of high office by his dedication to the Masonic principles from which we all come, by service and devotion to Shrinedom and by demonstrating that he has been blessed with those qualities of which a fortunate few are endowed.

Imperial Sir, may I place in nomination for Imperial Outer Guard one who by service, dedication and attributes has proved himself worthy of that office—from Oleika Temple in Lexington, Kentucky, Robert J. Turney. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Robert J. Turley has been nominated. The Chair now recognizes the Potentate of Hella Temple, Dr. Virgil Payne.

NOBLE VIRGIL M. PAYNE, JR.: Imperial Sir Harold Close, members of your Imperial Divan, Illustrious Potentates, delegates to this Imperial Session, and

Nobles all. I am Dr. Virgil Payne, Jr., Potentate of Hella Temple, Dallas, Texas, and it is my honor and pleasure to represent Hella Temple and place in nomination for the Imperial Office of Outer Guard the name of J. Carroll Hinsley of Ben Hur Temple, Austin, Texas.

Hella Temple of Dallas is the Mother Temple of Texas, the largest Temple of Texas, 12,000 strong. Hella Temple adopted a resolution on September 19, 1963, favoring Mr. Master Mason, J. Carroll Hinsley, my next Grand Master.

Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley was the first candidate from Texas to announce his intention of running for Imperial Outer Guard.

The Texas Temples besides Hella Temple who endorsed Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley were as follows: Ben Hur, Austin, his own Temple; Karem Temple, Waco, and Waco is the home of the Grand Lodge of the State of Texas; Suez at San Angelo; El Mina at Galveston, the home of the first Burns Center; Sharon Temple, Tyler, the baby Temple of Texas, the youngest Temple of Shrinedom, and the home of our late beloved Galloway Calhoun. I would like to say those boys are doing a tremendous job at Sharon.

Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley has received telegrams already from important people in Texas: the Mayor of Dallas, the Attorney General of the State of Texas, Noble Waggoner Carr; the Lieutenant Governor of the State of Texas, Noble Preston Smith; and former Governor of the State of Texas, Noble Allen Shivers.

Gentlemen, you all received this brochure from Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley. This is a replica of the flag of the State of Texas. I am not going to repeat or quote too much from this brochure other than to say that J. Carroll Hinsley has received every honor that can be bestowed upon a Master Mason, a Scottish Rite Mason, a York Rite Mason, or a Shriner, that Texas can offer to him.

Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley is now R.W. Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas. This coming December J. Carroll Hinsley will be the M.W. Grand Master of all Masons in Texas, the fourth largest Grand Jurisdiction in the world with over a quarter of a million Master Masons in its membership.

Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley received his law degree from Texas University. This man has written several volumes and is an authority on the subject of public school tax law in the State of Texas.

Here is a man who thinks now, thinks tomorrow, thinks next week, thinks five years, thinks ten years, thinks twenty years from now. He is way out in front.

We heard the Grand Master yesterday from the great State of New York. Pete, you are very fortunate here is Mecca to have such a fine friend as you have in this man. Imperial Sir, you at Hartford, and Cliff, you over at Bridgeport, we heard your Grand Master speak yesterday, your Grand Master from Connecticut. You are fortunate to have a friend like this. We in Texas are happy to have a friend like Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley who will be our Grand Master in December. He would now like to help Shrinedom as a whole. Let's continue to make Shrinedom great by continuing the high dignity of the Imperial Line by electing Mr. Master Mason J. Carroll Hinsley who will be my Grand Master in December.

His last words to me a few minutes ago were, "I'm glad to be a Shriner. I'm proud to be a Shriner." That's my Grand Master. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, J. Carroll Hinsley has been nominated.

The Chair recognizes now the Potentate of Hadi Temple, William C. Standring.

NOBLE WILLIAM C. STANDRING: Imperial Sir and Representatives to the Imperial Council. It is with a great deal of pride that I present for your consideration, one of the best qualified men ever presented for the high office of Imperial Outer Guard—Henry B. Struby, a man who has traveled thousands of miles this year visiting Temples and Shrine meetings and has spread the good word of the Shrine every step of the way. You might say Henry has worked his heart out for the Shrine, for two weeks ago he suffered a slight heart attack and even though it was mild, his doctors felt the rigors of this convention, and its attendant loss of rest, would be inadvisable at this early date. He is due to be released from the hospital today. I must make one point clear—I am making this nomination today because his doctors have assured us that he will have a complete and speedy recovery.

I would like to read a letter from a heart specialist who studied under Dr. Paul Dudley White in Boston. The letter is dated July 16. (*Reading*)

Dear Dr. Standring: Pursuant to our various conversations regarding Mr. Henry Struby, please be informed that Mr. Struby is progressing extremely well with his coronary episode and should make an uneventful and uncomplicated recovery.

I believe he will be able to carry on with any of his anticipated responsibilities in the future.

Yours sincerely,
Arthur H. Griep, M.D.

President Eisenhower and President Johnson have certainly shown that even a severe heart ailment can be overcome in a position and importance and responsibility. I talked at length with Henry last Saturday and he wants this office and is eager to win!

Henry Struby has a long record of civic service with the Salvation Army Board, Police Commission, Chamber of Commerce, Zoological Society and the U.S. Army Advisory Board. His clubs include the Evansville Country Club, Indiana Society of Chicago, Petroleum Club and he is even a Kentucky Colonel. He is Vice President and a Director of one of the nation's major financial institutions, and is active in the American Institute of Banking. He is a diligent civic and fraternal worker, as you have read in our weekly paper, *The Hot Sands*.

Henry has been a constant membership worker for the York Rite, Scottish Rite and the Shrine and has served on these membership committees in Evansville for many years. Most of his adult life has been in the service of the Shrine. He joined Hadi Temple in 1937 and became Potentate in 1947 as one of the youngest Potentates in Hadi's history. He served as Hadi's Treasurer in 1959. He has been the Chairman of the Permanent Contributing Memberships, the Ladder of Smiles for sixteen years, and our own 3,600 members have over 5,000 rungs. In 1951 Henry Struby served as President of the Cabiri International Order of Past Potentates. He served as President of the Great Lakes Shrine Association in 1955. He was Imperial Council Membership Chairman in 1960-61 and 62. He

served on the Imperial Council Grievances and Appeals Committee in 1963. He has been a representative to the Imperial Council every year since 1946. In Chicago, last year, he was elected an Emeritus Representative.

There is no substitute for experience. This great organization deserves this type of proven, dedicated leadership. It is with much enthusiasm that Hadi Temple of Evansville, Indiana places in nomination for the office of Imperial Outer Guard, the name of Henry B. Struby. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The name of Henry B. Struby is placed in nomination.

The Chair now recognizes the Potentate of Salaam Temple, Thomas Conklin.

NOBLE THOMAS O. CONKLIN: Imperial Sir Harold C. Close, members of the Imperial Divan, Illustrious Potentates, Representatives to this Ninetieth Imperial Council Session, and Nobles all. It is my understanding and perhaps yours too, that to read a nomination speech is in bad taste, but I am going to risk that criticism. It is not that I fear being misquoted should I speak without notes; but rather because of my intense personal enthusiasm for our candidate, that I might become indiscreet or even intemperate should I deviate from the speech.

Sirs, it is my honor, and yes, a privilege to represent Salaam Temple, from the Garden State of New Jersey, and place in nomination for the Imperial Office of Outer Guard the name of Illustrious Past Potentate Jacob A. Wingerter.

Before I impart to you our candidate's qualifications for this important office, please permit me to enlighten you on portions of his personal history. He was born in Baden, Pennsylvania, July 26, 1908. He is happily married and the father of two sons. His eldest, Ronald, is a Captain in the United States Marine Corps Reserve and an official in his father's company; and David is a First Lieutenant in the United States Marine Corp, a Naval aviator. His wife Selma, and he reside in West Orange, New Jersey and are members of the old First Presbyterian Church of Orange, New Jersey. The Illustrious Sir is active in civic affairs, both at home and on a State level.

The Illustrious Sir's Masonic background includes membership in Franklin Lodge No. 10 of Irvington, New Jersey; the Royal Arch Masons, Montclair Chapter No. 54, Montclair, New Jersey; the Knights Templar, Jersey Commandery No. 19, East Orange, New Jersey; the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, Valley of Newark, New Jersey; the Royal Order of Jesters, Newark Court No. 37, Newark, New Jersey. He is a member of the Cabiri Chapter of Salaam Temple, and a member of the Royal Order of Scotland, together with numerous other Masonic organizations. He has received honors from the Order of DeMolay for his outstanding aid in their behalf. He also is an ardent supporter of the Order of Rainbow for Girls.

The Illustrious Sir has given much to the Shrine. He was an ardent Unit man, prior to his assuming the duties of a member of Salaam Temple's elective Divan, and during his years as Assistant Rabban and Chief Rabban he served as Chairman of our Membership Committee with noticeable gains in membership. Then during his year as Potentate of Salaam Temple he conceived the idea of building a Temple, which we had looked forward to for some thirty-odd years. He was elected Chairman of our Building Committee and has served as such since then,

and I am proud to say that on June 13, 1964, we dedicated the new Temple with a Dedication Ceremonial honoring our Imperial Potentate, Harold C. Close, together with our M.W. Grand Master of Masons for the State of New Jersey. Our Illustrious Sir is also serving our Imperial Council as a member of the Jurisdictional Lines Committee.

Salaam's candidate is a professional engineer, owner and President of the Jersey Testing Laboratories, Inc. of Newark, New Jersey, maintaining offices and laboratories in three States, and employing several hundred people.

He shared the responsibilities of several large projects such as: The \$110 million Mackinaw Island Bridge, the \$93 million Delaware River Bridge, and the Verrazano Narrows Bridge, the longest in the world. The estimated cost of this structure was \$320 million. His company has been the official testing laboratory for the New Jersey State Highway Department on bridge construction since 1940.

His company's motto is, "Modern Building Demands Modern Testing," and I likewise say that the Imperial Council's business of today, with our anticipated annual budget of some \$15 million, demands modern business associates, together with a mind and thought on fraternalism, and growth. Our candidate has all of this, and I am sure that from past experiences he would devote the necessary time and energy expected of him as an Imperial Divan member.

Noble Representatives I can assure you that you will not make a mistake by casting your ballot for Salaam Temple's candidate, the Illustrious Past Potentate Jacob A. Wingerter. Imperial Sir, I, as Potentate of Salaam Temple, humbly place his name in nomination for the office of Imperial Outer Guard.

Nobles, thank you for your attention. Es Selamu Aleikum. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Noble Jacob Wingerter has been nominated.

Now the names are on the screen of those who have been nominated so you can see their names and spelling. The ballot to be used for voting for Outer Guard is No. 1, the white one. No other ballot will be recognized. I would like to have a word at this time from the Chairman of the Election and Tellers Committee, Clyde Oliver. Clyde.

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: Imperial Sir, Representatives. As you have just been told, the ballot to be used on our first vote which is about to be taken will be No. 1. We would ask that you write the name of your choice for candidate for Imperial Outer Guard in the space provided and if you would kindly write it as clearly as possible it would be appreciated by your Committee. As we told you yesterday this is a new system, Nobles, and we solicit and invite your cooperation to make this method work. If you are ready to vote I would ask the members of the Election Committee at this time to come forward.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, the members of the Finance and Accounts Committee are requested to meet with the Chairman, Thomas W. Melham, down here in front.

Now if you will prepare the ballots I am going to ask you then to recess for lunch and I would like to reconvene as promptly as we can, let's say two o'clock. The problem here is a matter of time. We are going to have to recess in this room at a certain time this afternoon because this is where the tables will be set up for

the Imperial Banquet this evening. So please be back at two o'clock. You will now cast your ballots for he who will serve you as Imperial Outer Guard.

(The Representatives cast their ballots for Imperial Outer Guard.)

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: Nobles, may I say there will be no ballots taken in the aisleways or the rear of the room. You must be in your seat as the ballot box comes by.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Be sure to cast your ballot and as soon as your ballot is cast you may be in recess until two o'clock.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Nobles, your luncheon room is the Trianon Ballroom, out the door and to the right on this same floor. It requires the pink ticket.

(The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., recessed at 12:40 P.M. to reconvene in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel at 2:00 P.M.)

AFTERNOON SESSION

Wednesday, July 22, 1964

Two Five o'Clock P.M.

The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council reconvened in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel, New York City, New York, Wednesday, July 22, 1964 at 2:05 P.M., Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close presiding.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, if I may have your attention, please. In relation to the ballot for Outer Guard, have all Representatives who wish been able to cast their ballot? Is there anybody who desires to vote who has not cast their ballot for the first ballot for Outer Guard? If not, I declare the ballot closed.

Give your attention, please, to the Chairman of the Election Tellers Committee, W. Clyde Oliver. Clyde, are you ready to report?

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: I am, Sir.

Imperial Potentate and Representatives, it is with pleasure that I give you the result of the ballot for Imperial Outer Guard. There were a possible 748 votes. 717 actually voted. There were no spoiled ballots. Necessary for a choice, 359. The votes were distributed as follows: Jacob A. Wingerter, 11; J. Carrol Hinsley, 31; Henry B. Struby, 96; C. Victor Thornton, 286; Robert J. Turley, 293.

Imperial Potentate, your Committee awaits further instructions.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, it certainly indicates that nobody has a choice. I have been asked to recognize the Potentate of Hadi Temple, William Standing.

NOBLE WILLIAM C. STANDRING: Imperial Sir and Representatives. To expedite this Session I would like to withdraw from the race the name of Henry B. Struby as a candidate for Imperial Outer Guard and thank you all for your support. *(Applause)*

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I recognize Jacob Wingerter, Past Potentate of Salaam Temple.

NOBLE JACOB A. WINGERTER: Representatives, I want to take this opportunity to thank you very much for considering the great nominating speech by my illustrious Potentate and at this time I would like to withdraw my name from consideration this year and I will be back next year and hope I will have your consideration. Thank you very much. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, will you prepare your ballots now again for he who will serve you as Imperial Outer Guard. This ballot will be the pink one, No. 2 in your book of ballots, and I want to again caution you that no other color and no other number will be counted. The names of the candidates left to vote on are on the screen. I hope you can see them. J. Carroll Hinsley, C. Victor Thornton, Robert J. Turley. Please prepare your ballots and sit where you are. We will again pass the ballot boxes and go on to additional business.

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: Representatives, as you vote if you will fold your ballots just once in half, please. It will help considerably not only in getting the ballots into the box but in counting them later on. Thank you.

(The Representatives cast their ballots for Imperial Outer Guard.)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: May I have your attention while the ballots are being taken up for an announcement by our Imperial Marshal Edgar Turner.

NOBLE EDGAR L. TURNER: This announcement concerns the Potentates whose Units are in the parade tomorrow night. We are going to ask that you disregard the parade orders so far as pickup time and transportation are concerned and I want every Potentate whose Units are in that parade tomorrow night before he leaves the room this afternoon to pick up an envelope with his new instructions as to pickup time and transportation. This is very important and I hope each and every one of you will pick up your envelope before you leave the room this afternoon. Thank you. Right over here in this corner later on in the afternoon I will have a table with an envelope with each Potentate's name on it and they can be picked up here later on in the afternoon. Thank you.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, have all voted who wish? Are you still collecting ballots down in the rear?

VOICE: Yes.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Now have all voted who wish? Has everybody voted? Anyone else to cast a ballot for Imperial Outer Guard? I declare the ballot boxes closed.

Now, Nobles, you had this calendar with the time schedule on it and the reason for giving you a time schedule was because I would like to have all Representatives present for some of the important questions that are going to be decided in the Imperial Council. We are running late and in the interest of time and the fact that I think you are all here I am going to eliminate the roll call that was scheduled in order to speed up consideration of legislation. The first order of business on your calendar scheduled for after lunch today was a report from the Revision Committee. This, may I say, is in regard to the Colorado Corporation only, the By-laws and Code of the Colorado Corporation to be considered first.

(Business was conducted in the Colorado Corporation with reference to the report of the Revision Committee.)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The Chair recognizes the Chairman of the Revision Committee, Earl Sachse.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, and fellow Representatives. I am pleased to submit the report of your Revision Committee. All of you received an envelope containing a white copy of the present Code and By-laws—the By-laws of both the Iowa and Colorado Corporations are included in one volume—together with a buff-colored copy of the proposed revised By-laws of the Colorado Corporation which is, as you know, the corporation operating the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. These By-laws were revised at your direction and at this time I would like to introduce the members of the Revision Committee.

Past Potentate of Tangier Temple, and a Representative for many years at this Imperial Council, Herbert White. Past Potentate of Tadmor Temple and Emeritus Representative of this Imperial Council, William Knowlton. Bill is also a member of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee and is sitting down with that Committee.

At this time we want to submit to you this report. In the packet of materials you received you also got the written report of the Committee which gave you the background and what was done and why it was done. As you all know, at an earlier session of this Imperial Council in 1961 there were some 52, to be exact, amendments to the Iowa and Colorado Corporation By-laws proposed. In the interest of saving time the Representatives at that Session adopted what was known as the Zor Temple resolution which had proposed that the Imperial Potentate then to be elected appoint a Committee to revise and codify and modernize the By-laws of both the Colorado and Iowa Corporations. That Committee was appointed, made a preliminary report at Toronto in 1962 and was continued and the size of the Committee was augmented and continued to operate and reported in 1963. At that time after considerable debate the matter was referred back to the Committee for this Session of the Imperial Council.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I want to thank you, Chairman Sachse.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir, may I ask one question? Weren't there a few changes you were going to make voluntarily from this?

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir and Representatives. In answer to the question from Representative Lou Chackes I might say that there do appear a number of typographical errors, minor errors in numbering and printer's errors which we believe should be corrected before the final printing. However, I did not want to take the time of this Session to go into all those minor details and I hope this Session will authorize that those minor changes be made, those corrections as it were, before the final printing of the By-laws in your volume of proceedings.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I asked the question. Of course, in the Colorado Corporation there are just a couple of minor ones but in the other one there are some others. I think it might be well to mention them.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: We will be happy to do whatever the Representatives assembled want to do because this is your report. You are the legislative body and it is your responsibility to see that the By-laws of both Corporations are properly adopted and in the finest form possible.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I would like the opportunity to make a couple of statements to this group. First, you have been assured if this is adopted you will be permitted to bring any amendments that you have or you desire to bring before this Imperial Council in writing. It will be discussed and decided upon here. Second, during my term of office this year I have had the opportunity of visiting with many of you and many of you have asked me, "In cases where controversy exists we wish we knew where the Imperial Officers stood on certain questions." I know sometimes you think the Imperial Divan is widely divided. I am very pleased to make this statement. I will make this for both Corporations, the same statement I will make will apply to both.

The Imperial Divan has considered the revision of the By-laws and Code and we are unanimously in favor of the adoption of these revisions as they are presented at the present time without amendment. (*Applause*)

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Potentate and Representatives. I am sure that we heartily concur in the statement of our Imperial Potentate. It is my opinion that this is not a cure-all for our situation here and that amendments may be necessary in one or both of these Corporations but I hopefully pray that you will pass this revision in order to get this thing out in the open so that it is more understandable. During my administration I promise you that I will appoint a committee to investigate the entire Code of both Corporations, the Colorado and the Iowa, and to bring back a report of recommendations for the changes. With that thought in mind, knowing that it will be studied and we will not be hurriedly presenting amendments without due time to study and observe, I hope that you will pass the revision.

Thank you, Imperial Sir. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I have been asked a couple of questions because of amendments that are pending and I want to make this clear. If these revisions are adopted any amendments brought in will apply to the new and not the old and they will be recognized according to whatever paragraph is applicable.

The next order of business is consideration of the revision of the By-laws and Code of the Iowa Corporation. Again I call on the Chairman of the Revision Committee, Earl Sachse.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. I now would like to present to you the report of your Committee on the Iowa revision of the By-laws governing this Imperial Council and the Temples. It is undoubtedly the most used document by the Temple Officers and other members of the Temple, by Shrine Club Officers and others. The present By-laws, or as we familiarly call it, the Code, that part at least that applies to the Temples is familiarly known as the Code to Officers, Representatives and others, is in the white covered book. In order to distinguish the new Code and By-laws clearly they were printed on a tinted green paper.

These By-laws I assume, most of you have examined them. In fact, I was quite heartened the other day to have a Potentate stop me and say, "Sachse, you know I like these new By-laws because I can find stuff faster in the table of contents in the new one than I could in the old one. Then by looking in the cross index I cross over and find it more readily in the old." That is because we attempted to incorporate a much better order and organization to the By-laws so that the work of Temple Officers would be facilitated.

The By-laws are divided into four parts. Part one is devoted to general provisions that apply throughout the By-laws. Part two is devoted to those laws, those statutes, that govern the operation of this Imperial Council. Part three is devoted to that part we familiarly call the Code and refers to the government of Temples. Part four is that portion which deals with jurisdictional lines, establishing jurisdictional lines among the Temples throughout North America.

We believe that this revision will be helpful to you. It will make it easier for you to find the law. It will be easier, we hope, for you to understand the law. We attempted to simplify and clarify the language wherever possible.

Finally, you will find it will be much simpler hereafter to amend the law because of the style and form adopted here. We broke these very, very long sections in the old By-laws down into shorter subsections and paragraphs. You will note that in one of the amendments that was submitted to you in the Call, when you get to that later on in our proceedings if you will compare the amendment to that section as it will appear in the new By-laws with the amendment as it appeared in the Call you will find it is about one-tenth the language. That will be one of the advantages, as our newly elected Imperial Potentate-elect Carl Brock mentioned, that in the future if changes are to be made they can be made much easier than has been possible in the past because of the provisions of the old By-laws that you had to repeat all of the old section and all of the new section as it would appear as amended.

Now I would be happy to answer any questions. We have been in session here, our Revision Committee, since Saturday and a number of Nobles have appeared. Noble Lou Chackes, Imperial Sir Marshall Porter who wanted to appear in connection with the Colorado By-laws, and others have talked to us about various provisions. I don't want to take too much of your time. The members of your Committee will be happy to answer any questions that might occur to you. We are hopeful that we will be able to answer your questions effectively and with that, Imperial Sir, I would like to move the adoption of the report of your Committee in the Iowa Corporation.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, again if there are no objections the report will be received and referred to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. I understand the Committee is prepared to report to you at this time.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Divan, and fellow Representatives. Again I want to assure you that the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws has given this report very careful consideration and although the report is ready now we have studied it and we are ready to report. (*Reading*)
TO THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL, A.A.O.N.M.S.:

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the report of the Code Revisions Committee concerning the adoption of the proposed revision of the By-Laws and Code of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., an Iowa Corporation, which report has been accepted by the Imperial Council.

The Committee reports that the report is in proper and legal form and is consistent with the resolution creating the Revisions Committee and defining its duties.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND
LAWS

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The report is signed by all members of the Committee. Now, Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of the report. I further move that for the purpose of bringing this proposed revision before the Imperial Council for action that the proposed revision of the By-laws of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., be enacted as the By-laws and Code of the Iowa Corporation.

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Second the motion.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion and it has been seconded. I recognize O. Carlyle Brock, Imperial Potentate-elect.

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Sir, I would like to make the same statement I made for the Colorado Corporation that I will appoint a committee to study any revisions that might be an improvement. This I assure you, my friends, is not something that we are trying to dictate to you or to force down your throats. There have been some discussions at the stage to which they refer as, "The Imperial Council is attempting to do things in a high-handed manner." I am sure that the vast majority do not believe that. You Representatives out front here are the Imperial Council. You are the Representatives duly elected by your Temples. You form the largest legislative body in the world. Each year you elect in the person of your Imperial Outer Guard a new Director to both of these Corporations. I am confident that the largest legislative body in the world is capable of electing its leaders, its Directors, and I am certain that those Directors that you have elected and charged with the duties of both of these Corporations are competent and capable to act. So, my friends, I am sure that you have faith in these men that you have elected on this stage. I am confident that you have faith in my honesty and in my integrity and that I will select a committee of the best legal minds here to report to you and to report to your Directors any recommendations that they may feel might improve the new Code that you adopt. Thank you.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Noble Chackes. Come up here, Lou, I want you to have the same advantage that I have, facing the Representatives.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir and Representatives. Fear not, I appreciate the statement was made by the Imperial Potentate-elect and if anybody feels that I am connected in any manner with the subject with which the talk was made I would like anyone here to ever say that I felt that the stage was railroading anything. I operate with my own mind, say what I think when I think it will be helpful for the good of the same Order who elected the men who say, "Have you no confidence in us?" I do have confidence in you. I also have confidence in the Representatives.

I made no comment to stop the change in the Colorado Corporation. I am going to do nothing much about the Iowa Corporation but there are only about twenty or twenty-five per cent of the Representatives now here who were here when the original resolution was adopted. That resolution covered one matter, the recodification of our old law. In fact, I made the motion that included the Colorado Corporation which had not been included in the Iowa Corporation resolution. I was for recodification, am now, and publicly and I think you all agree with me and admit that the recodification was necessary. It is done competently. It is done capably by intelligent people. That means taking the language of the old law and revising it in modern language.

The matters about which I have been involved in discussion here is not the recodification but the amendments that they put in, things that change the law from what was stated originally to, in many cases, a different meaning, from adding some edicts that have been passed and by usage have become law, and omitting some others. That was not in the original intent of the resolution and the resolution did not say this. It said the word "Revision" but that did not mean to revise the law; it meant to revise the language to make it modern and acceptable.

Last year they brought in the revision and we had it before us. I participated in some debate which laid the matter over until this year. I appeared before the Committee this year and I believe I got some affirmative results as far as my requests that some further changes be made. Is that correct?

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Yes.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: You see, until I hear it I wouldn't know. So if I inquire it is only for the purpose that they agreed on some changes which I felt necessary and which they seemed to feel that they would wait. I am willing to take their word for it.

But if we had done the same thing last year, if they wanted to bring it up to what it is this year, believe it or not they would have had to make over 200 changes this year because that is about the number of changes there are in here. Some are of minor importance but in the meantime they have been made and I am completely satisfied with most of it and I am willing to take your word that the things we spoke about are in there and have been changed. There will still be some necessity for change on a couple of minor resolutions I have to offer myself and so as not to detain it any longer and also to relieve any minds who think there is going to be any great debate or somebody is going to whip somebody or somebody is going to whiplash somebody else, if anybody knows Lou Chackes they know he nudges and hopes it is corrected and if it isn't he won't live another two hundred years, but some of these laws have become pretty old and ancient. I only ask for one matter, that after this is adopted I would like to make a statement. Thanks for the use of the hall. (*Laughter and applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Any other remarks, Nobles?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The question is on the adoption of the revised Code and By-laws of the Iowa Corporation. All those in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Again in the opinion of the Chair two-thirds of those registered and present said, "Aye," and I declare it passed unanimously. (*Applause*)

I recognize the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. I now move that the old By-laws and Code of the Iowa Corporation be repealed and that the new revision of the By-laws and Code of the Iowa Corporation become effective immediately. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Will you discuss the motion, Nobles?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried. It is unanimous.

The Chair now recognizes Noble Chackes.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I may be out of order. I have been and I sometimes take medicine for it. (*Laughter*) We have been doing some things through the years and I have been trying to get them corrected. I now bring it again before the body hoping that somehow or other they will be corrected.

The motion is generally made by the Imperial Recorder, "I move you that the Representatives to the Imperial Council, the Iowa Corporation, be elected as members of the Colorado Corporation." Everybody votes, "Aye." But what are you doing? For instance, we voted today in July to tell some Representatives of their Temples who were elected last January that they are now members of the Colorado Corporation. Don't you think your Temples when they elected you knew they were electing for both or were telling you right there and then that you had the right to sit in both? Sure you did. And that was what I was trying to get done because, for instance, they brought the motion there.

I remember a few years ago when it came up I stood up and asked one simple question, "Who has the right to vote on this resolution?" And then it was a picnic. There were five fine lawyers who gave answers. To get two to dispute is enough and you get them anyhow, you get them out of the same office, but here there were five and each one felt he was saying the thing that was absolutely so, but they were all different. It went by another year and the matter came up again and the then Imperial Potentate—I think he was anxious to get it done—turned to the General Counsel and said, "When will you have this completed?" He said, "You will have it within six months." This morning we went through the same how-do-you-do.

If, for instance, it was necessary to have an emergency meeting of the Colorado Corporation, most of you Representatives would not be eligible to attend because you had not been elected as a member of the Colorado Corporation officially as they did here today. That is a little cockeyed too, isn't it? I was trying to get that thing straightened out.

Now this, of course, is only a layman's opinion and when you talk about this thing suddenly it seems like they build up their own bogey man and then try to say, "Boo," and it scares you and you mustn't do it any more. Some other fellows have their own bogey man and we get "boogered" a little bit.

This is in general the meaning I want to convey, a suggestion for form only. Listen to it.

Nobles officially elected or appointed by their respective Temples as Representa-

tives to the Imperial Council whose names shall have been reported to the Secretary by the Imperial Recorder—meaning the Imperial Recorder gets these names from the Temples as being elected and he then turns it over to the Secretary of the Hospital Board, that is from one hand to the other but it is official then—the names who have been reported to the Secretary—. Let me read it over.

Nobles officially elected or appointed by their respective Temples as Representatives to the Imperial Council whose names shall have been reported to the Secretary by the Imperial Recorder, together with Representatives Ad Vitam, Representatives at large and Emeriti Representatives, shall be enrolled forthwith as members of this Corporation only for such tenure—

This won't take five minutes.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: We have elected Representatives to the Colorado Corporation.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I am just commenting. May I speak for five minutes out of order?

VOICES: No! No!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I love Lou, but I think he is out of order because there is nothing before the body. If you want to listen to him—

VOICES: No! Yes!

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I thank those who said, "No." I hope it doesn't fly back in your face.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: Imperial Sir, I think he should submit an amendment and then talk to it. Then we will be glad to hear him.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I appreciate that. It will be an amendment out of order. I will fold up, not my tent, but my little book. I will have some amendments to get to them.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Lou.

I will now call for a report—wait a minute, Earl Sachse has a resolution to present.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and Representatives. In order to take care of some of the matters that our good friend, Representative Lou Chackes, brought up, some he said were very minor in spelling errors and so on, in order to correct that before the final printing, I would like to offer this to the Imperial Council as a resolution. (*Reading*)

WHEREAS, the Imperial Council has adopted a complete revision of the By-laws of the Iowa and Colorado Corporations, and

WHEREAS, the utility of these By-laws will be greatly enhanced by a complete and accurate index; and

WHEREAS, minor errors in spelling, punctuation, word forms and numbering may be revealed before final printing,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it Resolved that the Revision Committee, with the advice

and counsel of the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, be directed to prepare a complete index and to exercise the usual responsibilities of a revisor of statutes in correcting spelling, punctuation, word forms, numbering, cross references and arrangement.

Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of this resolution. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the resolution presented and seconded. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Adopted.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, fellow Representatives. You all remember that in the official Call of the Session there were several amendments to the By-laws proposed. Under the provisions of the then existing By-laws that the written proposal must be in the hands of the Imperial Recorder sixty days prior to this Session there was no other way for those amendments to be drawn than to the By-laws existing at this time. In order to expedite the work of this Session it was agreed that the Revision Committee would review those amendments and conform them to the numbering and style of the present By-laws which you have just adopted. This has been done and all those amendments are now in shape and numbered so that they will fit into the green covered book which are now the By-laws of the Iowa Corporation. I wanted you all to know that so you wouldn't think that because one of the amendments is only a couple of lines that it wasn't the same as the one in the Call which was almost a page and a half. They have been conformed to fit into the numbering of the new Code.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Members of the Grievances and Appeals Committee are requested to meet in Room 504 at three-thirty this afternoon.

I understand that the Chairman of the Election and Tellers Committee is ready to report.

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: Imperial Sir and Representatives. It is with pleasure that I give you the result of the second ballot for Imperial Outer Guard. There were a possible 748 votes. 722 actually voted. Necessary for a choice, 362. The votes were distributed as follows: J. Carroll Hinsley, 15; Robert J. Turley, 306; C. Victor Thornton, 401.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report of your Chairman of the Election and Tellers Committee. The Chair recognizes Bob Turley.

NOBLE ROBERT J. TURLEY: Imperial Sir and Representatives. I haven't prepared a speech for you. I would like to say two things from the bottom of my heart, three things I believe.

One, I want to express my heartfelt appreciation to those of my own Temple, Oleika Temple, who worked tirelessly in the race that has just concluded, and to express my heartfelt appreciation to those others of you who spoke a good word in our behalf. I thank you all very, very much.

In the course of two years running for this office I believe that we have made many friends in the Imperial Council throughout North America and I believe

that five of those friends are Chick MacGregor, Vic Thornton, Carroll Hinsley, Henry Struby and Jake Wingerter. Did I say all five of them?

We are grateful for the support of those of you who supported us. I believe in the philosophy of Masonry and the spirit of the Shrine and I assure you now that for as long as I live whatever talents the Good Lord has given me and whatever abilities I have will be devoted to the service of the Shrine.

Now, Imperial Sir, I would like to move you, Sir, that the rules be suspended and that I be permitted at this time, before you have announced the election, to withdraw my name as a candidate and move the unanimous election by acclamation as Imperial Outer Guard for the ensuing term of my good friend Vic Thornton of Moslah Temple, Fort Worth, Texas. (*Motion seconded*) (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Bob Turley. Before I put that motion I am going to recognize J. Carroll Hinsley, if there is no objection.

NOBLE J. CARROLL HINSLEY: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives and Nobles all. Without unduly trespassing on the time of this Imperial Session may I echo what Noble Bob Turley has just said. I, too, have thoroughly enjoyed visiting with you throughout the length and breadth of this land. I know of no finer Nobles than those with whom I have campaigned in this race. I shall cherish these memories for the remainder of my life.

In conclusion, for the record may I be permitted to withdraw my name and second the motion which Noble Bob Turley has just made. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I am sure now you are familiar with what is before you, the request to withdraw by Bob Turley and also from Carroll Hinsley, and to make it unanimous. All in favor. Opposed. So ordered.

Is Victor Thornton in the room? Let's find out if he accepts. (*Applause*)

Vic, we certainly congratulate you on your election and I would like to know, for the benefit of your friends and Nobles here present, if you are going to accept?

NOBLE C. VICTOR THORNTON: Imperial Sir Harold, Imperial Sirs, my fellow Representatives. I deeply and sincerely and greatly appreciate the opportunity that you have given me to serve you and the Shrine. I has been a wonderful experience campaigning and meeting with you in the various cities over the country. I do accept the election. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Is Les Swan in the room? If he is will he please come to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

The Chair now recognizes Lou Chackes.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Knowing that the By-laws would be adopted and, in fact, that it said any amendment offered would be presented immediately without waiting for sixty days, I now present some very, very important ones.

One is to amend Section 204.2 which now reads, "Special Sessions. A special session of the Imperial Council may be called by the Imperial Potentate in an emergency; and he shall call a special session upon the written request of 100 Representatives, at least 75 of whom are members of different Temples."

I move to delete the word "100" and insert "150", to delete "75" and insert "85." So that as amended it will read, "A special session of the Imperial Council may be called by the Imperial Potentate in an emergency; and he shall call a special session upon the written request of 150 Representatives, at least 85 of whom are members of different Temples."

The reason is very obvious. Since the old laws were passed we have had many Temples added and this keeps up the same percentage.

The same thing applies to 204.3 which refers to a quorum. That is where you keep fish. (*Laughter*) "100 Representatives, at least 75 of whom are members of different Temples, shall constitute a quorum." Delete the word "100" and insert "150". Delete "75" and insert "85." "150 Representatives, at least 85 of whom are members of different Temples, shall constitute a quorum."

206.1, "Titles. The officers of the Imperial Council are: (e) Imperial High Priest and Prophet." To delete the words "and Prophet" so that it will read, "(e) Imperial High Priest." I have a similar thing in the others. The reason being, in the listing in most pages your own High Priest and Prophet takes up two lines because it is long words and it is rather ridiculous to think that we have a Prophet, mostly a loss, and reduce it to Imperial High Priest.

Amendment to 213.1. "Fez. The exclusive head covering of the Order shall be the red Turkish fez with a black tassel." Delete the word "Turkish." "The exclusive head covering of the Order shall be the red fez with a black tassel." We don't have to give the Turks credit for the headgear we wear.

320.1 "Name. Every Temple must select an appropriate Arabic or Egyptian name." Delete "Arabic or Egyptian" and insert the words "approved by the Imperial Council" so that it will read, "Every Temple must select an appropriate name approved by the Imperial Council." I think the dark-hued group that also wear the fez call themselves the Egyptian Order. I don't think there is any necessity for having the Egyptian word. If you can tell me that Aloha Temple would name it anything else, or that El Bekal, which is L. B. for Long Beach and kal for California, if that is Arabic or Egyptian, I don't know my Egyptian. The last time we had Sharon Temple and that is a Biblical name.

It is very hard to get transportation here but that big fellow masquerading as a Potentate from Sharon Temple, he got out and whistled and pretty soon there were two "rows" of yellow "taxis." (*Laughter*)

325.1 (d) High Priest and Prophet, delete Prophet so it will read "The officers of a Temple are: (d) High Priest."

I submit those to the Committee.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard these proposed amendments. Again, if there is no objection these will be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws and they are so referred.

I recognize Past Imperial Potentate Porter.

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: Mr. Chairman, I would like to say a few words to you because I am the cause for this revision. It arose at the Miami meeting. It was brought into being because for years we had been patching our constitution

and it did not make sense, a good deal of it. It was contradictory to other parts of it. So we set up a commission to revise and codify. It was not the function of that commission to make amendments. It was the function of that commission to make clear the provisions that were confusing.

They sat. They worked at it. They heard everybody's ideas. They looked up the earlier decisions and they have now given you a revision. It was not intended to be a change in the meaning of your Code any more than the St. James revision of the Bible was intended to change the story of the Bible.

We have, therefore, for the first time in many years, a clear delineation of the meaning of our governing Code and By-laws. This has shown some anomalies. The language clearly does not, in many instances, support what has been our practice. That is why the incoming Imperial Potentate is setting up a Committee to study these with the idea that that Committee will come back to you with some recommendations for such changes as it thinks will be necessary to give you the best available form of government in these two Corporations. I think that committee would be hampered and we will be delayed by any piecemeal discussion of amendments to this new revision until we have a chance to study it and study its application, as this committee will do.

So I move that the proposed amendments be referred to the committee to be appointed by the Imperial Potentate as part of the material which they will consider in evolving a set of laws which they think will be most appropriate to the conduct of our business. (*Motion seconded*) (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Gentlemen, there is a motion before the house. Of course, the amendments were referred to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee without objection.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: They were also presented on a promise that they could be presented and that they would be presented.

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: May I say to the Imperial Potentate that he couldn't see me from behind. I was rising when he made the declaration to which you refer.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion to refer these amendments to the committee that the Imperial Potentate will appoint.

NOBLE WILLIAM J. MILEHAM: Imperial Sir, I rise to a point of information. Imperial Sir, I would like to ask if that motion would include these proposed amendments that have already been circulated?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: As I understand, it refers only to the amendments that have just been announced here and not those in the Call.

NOBLE WILLIAM J. MILEHAM: Thank you.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The amendments that are in the Call are before us and in due and legal form and will be acted upon. These amendments, as I understand it, as just presented by Noble Chackes—

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I am a little persistent. I am ready for anybody but when somebody says something I would like them to live up to it. I think that rather than offer amendments to the report of the committee it was stated that if somebody

wanted to present some amendments the committee would then accept them. Is that not so?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: That is so, Lou, and as far as this Imperial Potentate is concerned he desires to live up to the statement he made. However, this body can overrule him. I would like to have everybody here who makes an amendment, and I gave that assurance, to discuss it before the Imperial Council. However, there is a motion before you.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir, may I ask if that is so they can't stop it and that you introduce the amendments that I gave you.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Any other remarks on the motion?

NOBLE W. FLEMING TALMAN: Imperial Sir, may I suggest that all the Representatives go to the microphone so that the Representatives can hear the discussion.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: That is a good suggestion, that all Representatives come to the microphone so that the Representatives can hear the discussion.

Now the question is on referring these amendments to the committee to be appointed. All in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair the Ayes have it.

The next order of business is the report of the Grievances and Appeals Committee for the purpose of reporting on the request of Salaam Temple to change its oasis. I am sorry, that is the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee which is to report.

NOBLE ROBERT H. FOUKE: Imperial Sir, members of the Imperial Divan and Nobles. Your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws has this resolution to present to you. (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws a Resolution from Salaam Temple passed in conformity with Section 322.5 of the Iowa Code, which resolution reads as follows:

"WHEREAS, Salaam Temple has on this twentieth day of November, 1962, passed resolutions to purchase land at 369 East Mt. Pleasant Avenue, Livingston, New Jersey, and to erect a Temple and facilities for the use of its membership, all subject to the approval of the Imperial Council of the Shrine of North America;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby resolved that upon obtaining such approvals as aforesaid, and upon the erection and completion of said building, the Oasis of Salaam Temple be changed from Newark, New Jersey, to Livingston, New Jersey." together with a request for an amendment to the Charter of Salaam Temple changing its Oasis from Newark, New Jersey, to Livingston, New Jersey.

Livingston, New Jersey, in the County of Essex, is within the territorial exclusive jurisdiction of Salaam Temple.

Therefore, the Imperial Council may order an amendment to the Charter of Salaam Temple changing the Oasis of the Temple from Newark, New Jersey, to Livingston, New Jersey.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

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Signed by all members of the Committee. I move you, Imperial Sir, the adoption of this resolution. I move that this Imperial Council order an amendment likewise to the charter of Salaam Temple changing the Oasis of the Temple from Newark, New Jersey, to Livingston, New Jersey, and I move you the adoption of that resolution as well. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, we have two resolutions here and normally they would be divided. The subject is simply the change in the address of Salaam Temple from Newark to Livingston, New Jersey. If no objection I will ask you to vote on both of them at the same time.

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All those in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is a vote and so ordered.

I might mention to you I am glad you did this because they have a new Temple there and it was dedicated a while ago. (*Laughter*)

I call on the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee again for the request of the Tucson Shrine Club for extension of time to gain additional signatures for a new Shrine Temple in Arizona.

NOBLE EDWIN K. STEERS: (*Reading*)
 To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws a request by the Tucson Shrine Club of Tucson, Arizona, for an extension of time on their application for a dispensation for a new Temple.

This request comes within the time as provided by Section 329.2 of the By-laws of the Iowa Corporation and the application for a dispensation may be extended by appropriate action of the Imperial Council.

Respectfully submitted,

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Signed by all members of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. For the purpose of bringing this before the Imperial Council I move that this request of the Tucson Shrine Club of Tucson, Arizona, for an extension of time on their application for a dispensation for a new Temple, be granted. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Moved and seconded. Any remarks?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor of an extension of time please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is a vote and so ordered.

Are you ready to report, Jurisprudence and Laws, on the amendment to the Code 332.3, Hospital Levy? Noble Bromley.

NOBLE ELMER P. BROMLEY: (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to Section 332.3 (a)—

I would like to call attention to the fact that the only portion of that Section that is being amended is (a)— of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to the payment of hospital assessment, to read:

332.3 Hospital Levy.

(a) The annual levy in every Temple for the Hospitals shall be \$5 paid in advance before January 1st by all members, including life members and members reinstated or affiliated. Candidates initiated in the following periods pay the hospital levy in at least these proportions:

- (1) January 1 to March 31, 100%;
- (2) April 1 to June 30, 75%;
- (3) July 1 to September 30, 50%; and
- (4) October 1 to December 31, 25%.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*
 ROBERT H. FOUKE
 ELMER P. BROMLEY
 WARREN L. JONES
 EDWIN K. STEERS
 JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.
 WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

The report has been signed by every member of the Committee. In order to get

the matter before this body I move you that the amendment be adopted in accordance with the report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Motion has been made and seconded. Do you all understand the motion? It is simply to prorate the Hospital assessment on the same basis we prorate our dues on the new members. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please signify by saying, "Aye." All those opposed.

Nobles, this is a vote that requires two-thirds of the registered Representatives. Let's try it again by voice. All those in favor of adopting the amendment please signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair two-thirds of the registered Representatives voted in the affirmative. Do you question the decision? It is a vote and so ordered.

I would like to recognize the Chairman of the Committee on Nomination of Emeriti Members, Herman L. Engelhardt. Herman, are you ready to report?

NOBLE HERMAN L. ENGELHARDT: Imperial Potentate and Nobles. I should like to have Nobles Virgil Frizzell, Merwyn Brown and George Saunders come forward and take a position on the platform at my left. (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Potentate and Representatives of The Imperial Council:

Your Committee on Nomination of Emeriti Members of the Imperial Council respectfully submit the following report:

Your Committee has considered the qualifications of the three Representatives whose names have been certified by the Imperial Recorder as having been duly elected Representatives for, and actually present at eighteen Imperial Council Sessions, and we now declare them as being eligible and each entitled to the honor as an Emeritus Member of the Imperial Council.

The following Nobles are so entitled:

- 1.—Merwyn H. Brown, Kerak Temple
- 2.—Virgil F. Frizzell, Beni Kedem Temple
- 3.—George M. Saunders, Ararat Temple

The Committee present at this Imperial Council Session has signed the report.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATION OF
EMERITI MEMBERS

HERMAN L. ENGELHARDT, *Chairman*
REMMIE L. ARNOLD
CHARLES H. LEMBKE
MUNGER T. BALL
J. HENRY CURDES
J. B. WHITTINGTON

Imperial Sir, I move that this report be adopted. (*Motion seconded*)

Now, Representatives, each of these Nobles has been duly elected and actually present for 18 sessions of the Imperial Council. Recognizing their dedication and devotion to Shrinedom their Temples have elected them over a period of years. I would just like to have you give them a big hand of applause. (*Applause*)

It is now my pleasure to let you know some of the important facts regarding their fraternal and business backgrounds.

Illustrious Merwyn Brown, step up here where everybody can see you. Maybe some of you Nobles don't know him but I want to give you some of the secrets of Merwyn Brown. He is a native of Nevada, born there, went to the University of Nevada, studied law and then he went to Stanford University, which is the only University in California except California University.

Then he was appointed District Attorney of Humboldt County and served there until he became District Judge of Nevada in 1946 and is now the senior District Judge in years of service. He has been President of the State Bar in Nevada in 1945, member of the State Bar of California and American Bar Association.

He is a member of Winnemucca Lodge and all the Royal Arch and York Rite Bodies. He is a past officer of all the York Rite Bodies. But he served as Grand Master of Masons from Nevada, Grand High Priest of the Royal Arch, Grand Illustrious Master of the Royal and Select Masters of Nevada, and Grand Commander of the Knights Templar in Nevada. I am surprised, but he is also a Grand Patron of the Eastern Star in Nevada.

He was Potentate of Kerak Temple in Reno. You know that is the biggest little city in the world. Merwyn told me that if you boys come out in 1966 and stop over for a day and drop a penny in the machine it is possible you will win \$500. So if you want to do that little stunt you see Merwyn afterwards and he will tell you how to do it.

Merwyn presently is serving as Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

I could go on. There is one particular thing I want to tell you that he did not put down. Several years ago Merwyn ordered a special train to take all the kiddies from Winnemucca to Reno to see the circus. He got the ladies to work up the lunch. The train stopped at all the road crossings and I understand they had over 400 kiddies traveling—

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: A thousand.

NOBLE HERMAN L. ENGELHARDT: He says a thousand kiddies traveling 200 miles. You know, it takes a lot of money to hire a special train.

I want to congratulate you. I understand the Recorder forgot to bring up the certificate but I want to congratulate you on becoming a member of the club.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Thank you so much. This is an honor that I appreciate very much. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HERMAN L. ENGELHARDT: Virgil Frizzell, will you kindly stand up here. He is from Beni Kedem Temple. I could go on and tell you all about him.

VOICE: Tell the truth.

NOBLE HERMAN L. ENGELHARDT: It will be the truth. He graduated from the University of West Virginia. He became a member of the Park and Playgrounds Commission. He served seven terms in the House of Delegates and was Chief Assistant Clerk and Parliamentarian. He also had the Frizzell Distributing Company and sold that in 1956 and retired to work for Shrinedom. Then the State called him back to service and he returned as Assistant State Tax Commissioner on October 1, 1957, and served until January 1, 1960. He was appointed Clerk of the United States Court, Southern District of West Virginia, where he is serving at present.

His fraternal organizations and clubs: he belongs to all the York Rite Bodies and Scottish Rite Bodies. He was Vice-President of the Mid-Atlantic Cabiri Association. Country clubs, boy, he belongs to a lot of them, four of them, and is a member of the Lions Club.

Virgil, it is a pleasure to present to you your certificate of Emeriti membership. Would you like to say a few words?

NOBLE VIRGIL F. FRIZZELL: Thank you, Herman. I feel a whole lot like a couple of prizefighters in the ring. One was the victor and he was asked if he would like to say a few words. He said, "Thank you. Hello Mom. Hello Pop, it was a hard fight but I won." Thank you. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HERMAN L. ENGELHARDT: Now the next Noble I don't think you know, but he has been a member of the Shrine since 1920 and has been active in Shrine affairs since that time. As the fellow says, you see Potentates come and go and you also see Imperial Potentates come and go, but I want to say about this Noble, George M. Saunders, that I have worked with him for many, many years. I don't think there is a man in this room that can equal his record. I have phoned him many, many times long-distance and always found him. He is a man you can always depend on for service.

He is a native of Kansas City, Missouri. He started out as Assistant Recorder of Ararat Temple. Then he became the Recorder. Then way back in 1948 he helped to organize the Central States Shrine Association. He also was the President of the Shrine Recorders Association.

He is a life member of his Masonic Lodge, a member of all the York Rite Bodies and, which is most important to a lot of us Past Potentates, he is the only honorary life member of the Cabiri and was designated the Cabiri Honor Man in the year 1961. He is a member of many other Masonic affiliations and also the Secretary of DeMolay from which we are looking forward to those boys becoming Masons. George is doing a wonderful job there. He is a Past Sovereign in the Red Cross of Constantine. He is a 33°.

I want to say to George Saunders that he is a well deserving man in becoming an Emeritus member for eighteen years as a delegate. George, I want to thank you. (*Applause*)

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Mr. Chairman, it seems only yesterday yet all of my entire adult life has been devoted to service to the Shrine and Masonry. Thank you so much. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HERMAN L. ENGELHARDT: You know, Nobles, I think we ought to give them another round of applause. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Herman. Certainly I think we all recognize that to spend eighteen years of service in this Imperial Council is a milestone. These three Nobles have been voted Emeriti members in this Imperial Council just now and have been personal friends of mine for many years and I want to take this opportunity of welcoming them as Emeriti members and congratulate them.

I will now put the motion. The motion is, Nobles, to elect these three as Emeriti members of the Imperial Council. (*Motion seconded*) All those in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. They are elected.

We are no longer working under the old By-laws. I know I am not as familiar with the new ones as the old ones. I know that the old By-laws say that the Time and Place Committee shall make their report on the second day of the Session.

NOBLE STANLEY GARRITY: Not later than the second day.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Whether the new ones say that, I am not aware. Anyway I will now call on the Time and Place Committee to make a report. I recognize our Imperial Potentate-elect to make a report. I understand he is out. I recognize the Deputy Imperial Potentate-elect, Barney W. Collins.

NOBLE BARNEY W. COLLINS: Thank you, Imperial Sir. Will the Potentate from Islam Temple come up, please, to make a progress report?

You will remember last year we moved to go to San Francisco in 1966 provided the proper and satisfactory arrangements could be made. At this time the Potentate of Islam Temple is going to make a progress report in regard to what is being done in San Francisco for July of 1966. Illustrious Potentate Braden of Islam Temple.

NOBLE LOWELL E. BRADEN: Imperial Sir Harold C. Close, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. As Potentate of Islam Temple I have the most pleasant duty to perform of furthering the invitation that was extended at Chicago for the Imperial Council Session to be held in San Francisco the week of July 4, 1966.

I would like to announce that many meetings have been held and we are assured of the complete cooperation of the hotels and the San Francisco Convention and the Visitors Bureau for a most successful Imperial Session.

As this report is a progress report it is two years in advance and we feel that we have progressed as far as we possibly can at this particular time. Islam Temple is looking forward with pride to seeing you all in San Francisco, the city that knows how, in 1966. (*Applause*)

I move the adoption of this report.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, it is my understanding this is just a progress report. Of course, this body cannot obligate next year's convention. As this is a progress report I don't think any action is necessary at this time unless you so desire.

Illustrious Charlie Merrill, are you prepared to report as a member of the Time and Place Committee?

NOBLE CHARLES E. MERRILL: Imperial Sir, we are prepared but our Potentate, Alex Acey, is in the Grievances Committee and I have sent for him. Imperial Sir, we are all ready so when you are ready we are ready to report.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: How about Noble Seay, are you prepared to report on Time and Place? No report.

The Committee on Transportation, Noble Carl Pierson. Carl, are you ready to report? Noble Fred Turner. This is not Carl Pierson. This is Fred Turner of Bahia Temple.

NOBLE FRED B. TURNER: Thank you, Imperial Sir. I am pinch-hitting for Carl Pierson, the first time he has not reported in ten sessions.

To the Imperial Potentate, Officers, and members of the Imperial Council:

Your Committee on Transportation is happy to report that to the best of our knowledge all matters pertaining to transportation have been handled satisfactorily.

Our Imperial Sir Harold C. Close, has traveled 60,000 miles, visited some 100 Temples, 16 Hospitals of mercy, and attended many meetings. We have devised one new form to facilitate his transfers and connections and to obtain public relations out of his travels. We commend him for a job well done.

Respectfully submitted and signed by the Committee:

CARL H. PIERSON, *Chairman*
HERBERT C. WALLACE
ROY R. SPANGENBERG
WILLIAM F. VITT
FRED B. TURNER
RAYMOND SMITH
ROBERT W. LEONARD

The report is properly signed by all members of the Committee. Imperial Sir, I would like to move its adoption.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report of the Transportation Committee. (*Motion seconded*) All those in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

Next is Imperial Sir Orville F. Rush, Imperial Assistant Rabban-elect, to report for the Committee on Shrine Rooms. Orville.

NOBLE ORVILLE F. RUSH: Imperial Sir, initially I want to say the reason I have no fez on is that they are taking pictures of Vic Thornton and they borrowed my fez with the stars, so that is why I am not wearing my fez. (*Reading*)

REPORT ON IMPERIAL SHRINE ROOMS, GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL TEMPLE, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, FOR 90TH ANNUAL SESSION:

The Imperial Shrine Rooms, located in the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Temple at Alexandria, Virginia, continue to be one of the outstanding

attractions in the Washington area for tourists and visitors. More than 2 million persons have visited these Shrine Rooms and viewed the numerous displays. During the past Shrine year, there were visitors from 67 countries, including Russia.

The Shrine Rooms being constantly on display every day of the week throughout the calendar year, we adopted a policy of long-range planning and one year ago decided on a major refurbishing project. I am delighted to report that this particular project is now completed. Your committee feels that the revamping of the Shrine Rooms will meet with your approval and we invite those of you who are going through the Washington area on your trip home to make a visitation to the Memorial Temple.

We have three large rooms at the Memorial Temple which we have always designated as the Imperial Room, the Shrine Room and the Hospital Room. I shall succinctly give you a résumé of the refurbishing job in connection with each room.

Initially, the Imperial Room: We feel that it now presents a regal appearance with the new impressive display cases for the exhibiting of the special jewels, memorabilia and natural colour portraits of the Imperial Divan. This room has been completely renovated with the latest in illuminating units; plus new plastering and painting. Continuous music on tape recorder produces a pleasant atmosphere.

Next, the Shrine Room: All walls and ceilings have been replastered and painted in this room. An attractive information center has been installed with custodian's desk, brochure racks, files, central control system for background music, push button remote control for starting and stopping parade announcements and synchronized marching music. The miniature Shrine Parade has been completely overhauled. Special lighting effects have been obtained through installation of sunken high hat spots in the ceiling. The Fez Case was redesigned with handsome shadow-box gold frame molding; the background of case was rebuilt and gold vinyl installed, also new type illumination added.

A completely new vinyl Travertine tile floor of limestone design has been installed throughout this room.

The Shrine map is approximately 12 feet long, attached to a most attractive curved panel executed in relief, with inserts of other land areas where Temples and hospitals are located. The hospitals are designated with illuminated markers. Temples are numbered with different type markers, also Burn Centers are individually outlined. On the map panel there is an area where all names of Temples and hospitals are listed. Our presentation in the Shrine Room is one of lavish splendor, with new festive drapes of linen material, hand blocked in specially designed Shrine colors.

Finally, the Hospital Room has been completely renovated, replastered and painted. Visual audio unit which has been installed depicts Shrine Hospitals and facilities afforded crippled children. Photo mural panels have been constructed with photographs showing children in various stages of recovery and therapy at the hospitals. Included in this exhibit is a special area devoted to the Burn Institutes. The panels are tied in to both the floor and walls, each independently supported around a base containing crushed marble fill and decorative planting. There are two panels containing titles and explanatory notes concerning the other panels. And on the wall near the door there is the slide presentation. The overall story or message is told—of the efforts exerted by the Shrine in the field of help to the

crippled or burned child. The redesigning of this room enhances an atmosphere of refinement. In addition thereto, I might mention that the paintings we commissioned have been completed and are now on display and these include the four Presidents of Mexico who were members of the Shrine, Hospital Board Chairmen Samuel P. Cochrane, Walter G. Seeger, and Harold Lloyd, and the current and Past General Counsel of the Shrine.

Even though we have had some extraordinary expenses, the cost of maintaining the Shrine Rooms continues at a relative low figure and the refurbishing was less than originally anticipated. According to a report from the Accounting Department, including salaries, rent, telephone, supplies, repairs, paintings, renovations and incidentals, the total expenditure for the entire calendar year of 1963 was \$27,031.63, and the expenses for these same items for the first six months of 1964 amount to \$14,578.85, including the \$2,400 rental paid for the entire year.

Your Committee feels that the Shrine Rooms are in good shape but, having adopted a long-range policy, we will continually be concerning ourselves with further improvements.

I have signed this report as Chairman and it has been concurred in by the other members of the committee.

ORVILLE F. RUSH, *Chairman*
 GEORGE M. SAUNDERS
 EDWARD E. BUCKLEY
 LAYTON S. SORBER
 FREDERICK WILKEN
 WILLIAM J. MILEHAM
 GEORGE J. MURPHY

I therefore move the adoption of this report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report and the motion to adopt the report. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All those in favor of the adoption of the report please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is adopted.

I understand, now going back to the Time and Place Committee, that Imperial Sir Charles Merrill is ready to report.

NOBLE CHARLES E. MERRILL: Imperial Sir, my fellow Representatives. I am pleased to report to you that the Time and Place Committee has met and has unanimously approved the City of Detroit, Michigan, for the 1967 Session for our Imperial Council. With your permission may I ask my Potentate, Alex Acey of Moslem Temple, to now say a few words to you.

NOBLE ALEX ACEY: Imperial Sir, Imperial Officers and Representatives. At the 1963 Session of this Imperial Council the Potentate of Moslem Temple reported Moslem Temple had unanimously voted to extend an invitation to hold the 1967 Imperial Council Session in the City of Detroit, Michigan. Plans and arrangements are making progress and now I am permitted to renew this invitation.

I move you, Sir, that the invitation from Moslem Temple to hold the 1967 Im-

perial Council Session in Detroit, Michigan, be approved. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, moved and seconded that Detroit be approved. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All those in favor signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. It is voted.

NOBLE CHARLES E. MERRILL: Thank you, Sir.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I now recognize Noble Merwyn Brown, Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

NORLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Divan and fellow Representatives. (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

Your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws to whom have been referred all the decisions of the Imperial Potentate approving or disapproving new By-laws and amendments to existing By-laws of subordinate Temples, pursuant to the opinion of the Chairman of this Committee, reports that it concurs in the decisions as made in respect thereto as reported to the Imperial Representatives, and recommends that the action taken in each case as specified be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*
ELMER P. BROMLEY
WARREN L. JONES
WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON
EDWIN K. STEERS
JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.
ROBERT H. FOUKE

The report is signed by all the members of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. I may state that there were 23 either new By-laws or amendments submitted, of which 22 were approved and one was disapproved.

Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of this report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. What is your pleasure?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All those in favor of the adoption of the report please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is so ordered.

I am sorry, I overlooked our Imperial Sir Orville Rush in the report of the Time and Place Committee. I was trying to get our Imperial Potentate-elect in. I now recognize Imperial Sir Rush.

NOBLE ORVILLE F. RUSH: Imperial Sir, I do not have any report at this time on the Time and Place Committee with a view ahead to the future.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, Orville.

We are about ready to recess. I would like to make a couple of announcements. One, be sure and bring your ballot books tomorrow, please. There are ballots in here for yes and no paper votes and it may be that somebody will move and it will be carried that we have a question decided by paper ballot. No more can be issued than these books.

Now the Imperial Potentate-elect has called a meeting in the morning for nine o'clock. This meeting of the Representatives will now be recessed. Is there any other announcement, George?

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Except about the banquet tonight.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You all know about the banquet tonight in this room. This meeting of the Representatives will be recessed until ten o'clock. The Imperial Potentate-elect will have his meeting at nine o'clock. The official meeting of the Representatives to the Imperial Council will be at ten o'clock.

(The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., recessed at 4:05 P.M. to reconvene at 10:00 A.M., Thursday, July 23, 1964, in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel.)

THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1964

9:00 A.M.

MEETING OF IMPERIAL POTENTATE-ELECT BROCK WITH POTENTATES AND CHIEF RABBANS

The meeting of the Imperial Potentate-Elect with the Potentates and Chief Rabbans convened in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel, New York City, New York, on Thursday, July 23, 1964, at 9:05 A.M., Imperial Potentate-Elect O. Carlyle Brock presiding.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE-ELECT BROCK: Will you please come to order. Good morning, Nobles. You all look very bright, exceedingly sharp and businesslike this morning. It appears that the wear and tear of the convention city along with the extracurricular activities have no particular effect upon you. It is said that the sun always shines on the Shrine and that Shriners are enduring individuals. This truly I believe.

I shall now call upon our Imperial Chaplain, Imperial Sir Russell Camp, to ask for Divine guidance on our meeting today. Imperial Sir.

REV. RUSSELL E. CAMP: Let us pray. O, Thou Eternal God, without Whom our lives mean nothing, we pray to Thee especially in this moment for our newly elected Imperial Potentate and for the wonderful and tremendous possibilities he has for our beloved Shrine in this year to come. He will not do it alone. He will be supported by his Officers and because Thou, O God, art the Holy Spirit, Thy Spirit is in each one of these men. Bless them, O God, with a special blessing this coming year and all that they shall do shall be done to Thy Glory and to the wonderful Shrine we love so much. In Thy Name we pray, Amen.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE-ELECT BROCK: Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives, there were many things which I should have said to you yesterday, but as usual the pageant ran later than was anticipated. Over the years I have seen many colorful and exciting pageants presented to the Imperial Representatives, the Nobility and their ladies. I have been fully cognizant that they were time consuming. It was my opinion and that of my family that my life's story might well be dispensed with. Our reigning Imperial Potentate likewise shared my opinion and expressed strong intentions of dispensing with his pageant, but the will of his own Temple, no doubt, prevailed; something had to be done. Consequently, in the essence of time, he excluded outsiders, not that he did not desire their presence, but he was concerned with the time factor and determined to save wherever possible and, believe me, there was plenty of resentment, especially from our wives, our daughters and our sweethearts because they were not invited. While we agree that this is a man's organization, and so it is, yet no man ever rose to any position of distinction without some good woman back of him. In recorded history there has never been an exception, and since women are playing an ever increasing part in the family life on this continent today, in my opinion their wishes should be respected.

Apologies are in order for the length of time consumed by this extravaganza. I had not witnessed it until yesterday. Attempting to get into the rehearsal on Monday, I was ushered out by a couple of our Potentate's Aides in a firm manner. I was informed that should I wish to make changes, there was no time to make deletions or additions on the eve of its presentation.

The pageant portrayed yesterday was the homespun work of the Nobles of my Temple, without professional assistance and as the dictates of their hearts moved them. They wanted to give full recognition to their good neighbors, Ismailia and Al Koran. By the same token, they were duty bound to share with the seven Temples of our beloved Commonwealth, being fully cognizant that the election of an Imperial Potentate does not bring honor to one man, but to his Temple, and not to his Temple alone, but is an honor to be participated in by each Temple and Noble within the framework of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with its more than 72,000 Nobles. It redounds, likewise, to the honor of our friends and neighbors in the Great Lakes complex. It is likewise a tribute to the Canadian Temples since I am of Canadian birth and ancestry.

Time-consuming though these portrayals may be, they ought to be continued. It serves the purpose, if no more, of bringing your wives and ladies into the picture to observe an extravaganza which introduces to you and to them not only the Imperial Potentate, whom you should know more intimately and with whom you should feel completely at ease, but it grants you an intimate panorama of the family of your Imperial Potentate and the reasons for his being who and what he is. You will, I am certain, concur with me that time thus spent is not wasted, but is a valuable part of the convention as a whole. We shall not pass this way again.

In my haste yesterday to avoid further encroachment on our Imperial Potentate's time and to permit at least one ballot before lunch, little niceties and the decent courtesies that a man in this position ought to indulge in, were omitted. I neglected to recognize Nobles who had made contributions, as you saw them on review,—the Past Potentates of my Temple, our Illustrious Potentate, the members of our Divan, and the Potentates and Divans of the Temples of the great Commonwealth and from Ismailia and Al Koran Temples. May I, on this occasion, express my sincere thanks

to them for their part and for the beautiful automobile which they presented to me. This will be the first Cadillac which I have owned.

There were smaller gifts which, like the widow's mite, possessed the same spirit of love and affection: the gift from my employees which was most timely and which will be a part of us on all our travels, and from a fine Noble who has been my friend down through many years, who furnished this fez for my son Omar to present to me. Harry Osers, for this beautiful fez which you and your people fabricated with loving care, I want to express my heartfelt appreciation. I shall wear it with pride and honor to you and to our beloved Shrine. (*Applause*)

Permit me to again recognize Illustrious Potentate Mark Gates and Cal Clemens, Captain of the Patrol of Al Malaikah Temple. Will you come forward, please. Yesterday you presented to me this beautiful and elaborately engraved swagger stick with the extravagant Shrine emblem with diamonds and five stars thereon, and on each band is engraved one of the Masonic offices which I have occupied. Mark said, "We couldn't get them all on. We would have needed a long crook in order to record them." Mark, these fellows are taking pictures. Perhaps your Captain would like to again present this to me this morning. I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart. The friendship and spirit which prompted this presentation is more cherished than the gift itself, but this will always be one of my most highly prized possessions, and I shall remember you with love and affection over the years. (*Applause*)

Likewise, I welcome your selection of Imperial Outer Guard, Vic Thornton. You were fortunate, indeed, to have had so many able and qualified Nobles in that contest for Imperial Outer Guard. It is a healthy condition, indeed, when so many Nobles of dedication and character are willing to assume the responsibilities which are becoming ever more exacting and demanding to assume this trust and to give us leadership. Yours is the largest legislative body in the world. You are not only electing a social entity when you select an Imperial Potentate or an Imperial Outer Guard who will, by the grace of God, become your Imperial Potentate, but, as I have said on so many occasions, this largest legislative body in the world is capable of electing and selecting its leaders and those leaders, once selected, are certainly competent to serve. I have followed them down through the years; these ten years have gone so quickly we have had little time to anticipate this day. As I stand before you this day, very unready, very unqualified to perform this great task, but I will with God's help and yours. (*Applause*)

Inasmuch as this great Imperial Council does not have a continuation of managers, it must have a continuation of management and since we are dedicating ourselves to a greater and a more noble charity than we have ever done before, a more frightening and more challenging one. It is my pleasure now to recognize from Syrian Temple for just a few moments a Noble who has a proposal. Will you listen to his offering. It is in my estimation strictly administrative, however, do give serious thought to his proposal. Some good ideas may come out of this since it is a situation we must eventually face. Past Potentate Robert Fleming of Syrian Temple. (*Applause*)

NOBLE ROBERT FLEMING: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives and Nobles. I am very grateful to Imperial Sir Brock for this opportunity. What I have to say is extremely vital to every Shriner in North America, but my appeal is immediately focused to the Temples in the Great Lakes area and Southeast because my concern is about blood, blood for burned children in our Burns Institutes, generally

and specifically in the one in Cincinnati. The question has been asked how can individual Shriners help and the answer was given that the most urgent need was for blood donors. A patient may need as high as twenty-five pints of blood due to loss in the open wound areas before skin can be grafted.

At the first meeting of the Board of Governors of the Cincinnati Unit last March the Illustrious Potentate of Syrian Temple, a member of the Board, informed the Board that Syrian Temple was organizing an advance deposit donor club in connection with the Cincinnati Blood Transfusion Service and he also stated he was appointing me as administrator of this blood bank. I had several meetings with the officers of the University of Cincinnati Blood Transfusion Service and in April began an intensive campaign to enroll members of Syrian in the bank. Briefly it was to enroll members who would deposit blood every two and one-half years to five years and this would provide blood for them and their beneficiaries when needed as well as the University of Cincinnati. In passing I would note that Deputy Imperial Marshal and Trustee, Alfred Porter, was the number one donor to this project.

The target originally was 2,000 members by June 30. Unfortunately I failed to recognize age and physical disabilities among Shriners generally and at the moment we have about 600 members. The blood bank requires a deposit of 20 per cent of your membership which would give us, if and when we activate, 120 pints to work on.

In the meantime on February 21 the Interim Burns Institute was activated with 7 beds in Cincinnati General Hospital. During the period February 1 to July 1, 15 patients were admitted and 10 required 107 pints of blood. Because of their belief in the Shrine and what it stands for and what it promises, the Blood Transfusion Service is carrying this deficit as a charge against Syrian's as yet non-activated blood bank. In addition, Syrian men who have joined have required a lot of units of blood for one reason or another. So at the moment we are literally 120 pints in the red.

Now it was not my idea or the Potentate's idea that Syrian would carry this whole load for the Cincinnati Burns Institute. Naturally we are proud that the Board initially selected Cincinnati and we have a special pride but I am sure we are not going to be able to carry this load by ourselves. Under the interim the projection shows a need of 700 to 800 pints a year. When completed in 1968 the projected figure is approximately 1500 pints of blood a year. This is something that cannot be put on your annual dues like we can for our Crippled Childrens Hospitals.

Because of this I think it is imperative that some definite plan be formulated immediately to take care of this situation, not only for the Cincinnati area but Galveston and Boston areas which undoubtedly will be in the same situation. Because of my immediate interest I arbitrarily selected the Great Lakes and Southeast areas as the areas that the Cincinnati Unit could include and that includes the West Virginia and Kentucky Temples. Briefly this is the plan that I propose.

Each Temple within the designated area serving a Hospital should be given an annual quota of blood based on individual membership to provide at least a total of 1500 pints annually. At the present time I have a partial list of 14 Temples within the Great Lakes area in whose cities are located American Blood Bank depositories or Red Cross depositories through which the Temples in those areas could easily

make their deposits and clear to the Cincinnati Burns Institute. This would provide for each Temple supplying at stated intervals during the course of the year their quota of blood, 50 pints, 20 pints, whatever it is, on the premise that they could not be called on more than once. As of now Syrian has the moral obligation to take care of this six months' and growing deficit. If it is our obligation it will be met.

I cannot stress too strongly the necessity for prompt action of some sort. Children will continue to be burned and be patients at some Burns Institute and will need quantities of blood from somewhere. Here money will not do. Blood is what we must have. I will be glad to lend my aid to whatever plan of action is formulated.

Thank you, Sir. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE-ELECT BROCK: Thank you for that report. You can see that this fellow is out for blood. (*Laughter*) You, of course, know that loss of blood plasma in cases of severe burns is comparable to that of slow hemorrhage. In these critical cases 20 to 40 pints of blood are needed. Thank you very much, Bob.

Now during this year I shall continue our accelerated membership building program. You, of course, are fully aware that we have nearly reached the saturation point of eligibles that have qualified in both the Scottish and York Rites. Most of our new members today come from current creations from those prerequisite Bodies. We must now return to the grass-roots of the Fraternity, to the more than four and one-half million Masons on this continent and to DeMolay in order that we may make it easier and more desirable for men to join the Masonic Fraternity and thereby create a desire to become a part of the prerequisite Bodies and the Shrine.

You will see before you today charts which I am confident are most expressive and more revealing than anything I might utter. Our publicity will be directed toward membership building, to the encouragement of wills, gifts and bequests, and to the improvement of our image both to the public and within the framework of Masonry. Charlie Marshall will present some charts which will prove most revealing.

Chart 1 shows the United States population trend from 1940 to 1963 and also shows the population trends of Protestants and Roman Catholics. You will observe that neither the Protestant nor the Roman Catholic population has kept pace with the increase in the United States population although the Roman Catholic population has increased somewhat faster than has the Protestant.

Chart No. 2. This shows the United States change in population and religious trends by percentages. You will observe that the Roman Catholic population on a percentage basis has increased much more rapidly than either that of the Protestants or the United States. Inasmuch as few Catholics become Masons, the increased membership in the Roman Catholic church has a tendency to narrow our list of prospects. That is the only reason I make the reference in this chart. I regret that the Protestant figures for 1962 and 1963 were not available when the chart was prepared, but they will be in your hands shortly.

Chart No. 3. "Service and Other Organizations—Membership Trends." You will observe that the Knights of Columbus show a more rapid growth than the Elks, the Lions, the Rotary or Kiwanis. This rapid increase in Knights of Columbus membership is, of course, related to the more rapid growth of the Roman Catholics in the United States as shown on Chart No. 2.

We in Freemasonry, in effect, are in competition with all fraternal and service

organizations whose religion does not preclude their joining our Fraternity. Anything that consumes the time and money of those who are eligible to join our organization is something we have to compete with, indirectly though it may be. You will observe from this chart that the Elks show a substantial growth, as rapid as that of the Knights of Columbus, from 1946 to 1960. The total membership of the Elks in 1962 was about equal to that of the Knights of Columbus. However, in 1963 the Knights of Columbus forged substantially ahead of the Elks.

The Lions show a more rapid growth from 1946 to 1963 than either Rotary or Kiwanis. Kiwanis seems to have leveled off in 1956 to 1963.

I present these charts largely as background information. They lead up to the principal chart, No. 9, having to do with our Fraternity, which I will discuss later.

Chart No. 4, "Service and Other Organizations—Membership Trends—Change in Percent," using 1946 to 1950 as 100 per cent. Here again you will observe that the Knights of Columbus show an increase between 1946 and 1963 of 210 per cent; the Lions, 187 per cent; Rotary, 182 per cent; Elks, 150 per cent; and Kiwanis, 138 per cent. Again, this is background information which I think we need if we are to intelligently and effectively promote our own Fraternity. We need to know what the other fellow is doing and whenever possible how he is making progress.

Chart No. 5, "Masonic Bodies—Membership Trends." You will observe from the top curve, the Blue Lodge Masons, that membership reached its peak in 1958 and the trend has been downward since that time. I don't know what the 1963 figures will show because they will not be available for four to six weeks. You will observe that the Scottish Rite curve—one of the prerequisites for membership in the Shrine—continued to go up from 1958 to 1962 while the total membership of Masonry was declining. The same holds true with the Shrine. Commandery membership—another prerequisite—did not vary noticeably between these years.

Chart No. 6, "Masonic Bodies—Membership Trends—Change in Percentage," using 1946 to 1950 as 100 per cent. On a percentage basis, the Scottish Rite increased 154 per cent from 1946 to 1962; the Shrine, 147 per cent, slightly behind, 7 per cent less; the Commandery increased to 127 per cent up to 1960 but dropped to 123 per cent in 1962. In 1962 the Blue Lodge curve leveled off at 121 per cent in 1957 and continued at this figure for the next three years but declined to 120 per cent, 1 per cent less, in 1962. Bear in mind that we are speaking here in percentage gain from 1946 to 1962, using 1946 to 1950 as 100 per cent.

Chart No. 7, "Masonic Bodies—New Members." You will observe from this chart that the number of Blue Lodge Masons raised dropped from 227,000 in 1946 to 92,000 in 1962 and you will observe that the new members joining the Scottish Rite and the Commandery also dropped, which is most significant. The Shrine dropped from 58,000 to about 33,000 in 1962.

Chart No. 8, "Masonic Bodies—New Members—Percentage Changes." This chart reflects the change, year by year, on a percentage basis, again using 1946 to 1950 as 100 per cent. Those who joined the Blue Lodge dropped from 118 per cent to 42 per cent. The upward trend in the Blue Lodge curve from 1951 to 1953 was undoubtedly occasioned by the Korean War and it had the same effect on other Masonic Bodies, including the Shrine.

Chart No. 9, "New Members—Masonic Bodies—Yearly Averages." The top chart is the Shrine. The average number of Shriners created per year from 1946 to 1950

was 48,000; from 1951 to 1955, 44,000, a decline of 4,000; from 1956 to 1960, 37,000, a decline of 11,000; and for the next two years ending in 1962 it dropped to 32,000. Similarly, you will observe that the combined figures for the Commandery and Scottish Rite show that for the five year period from 1946 to 1950 the average number joining per year was 79,000; from 1951 to 1955, 65,000; from 1956 to 1960, 60,000; and for the two year period ending with 1962 it was 53,000. Blue Lodge Masons raised, the average number per year for the five year period ending 1950 was 200,000; from 1951 to 1955, 154,000 or a drop of 46,000; from 1956 to 1960, 119,000, a drop of almost 80,000; and for the two years ending with 1962, 96,000, a 104,000 decrease.

There is no conceivable way for us to increase the membership of our Fraternity or even stabilize it at its present level if membership in the Masonic Bodies continue to decline. Therefore, it follows that since the future of our Fraternity is inseparably tied up with these Bodies, we must put forth an intelligent and conscientious effort to cooperate with them to the end that this trend, this downward trend, is not only stopped, but reversed. It is with this thought in mind that I propose to arrange as quickly as possible for a conference with the Chairman of the Grand Masters Conference, the Secretary of that Conference, the Heads of the Scottish Rite, North and South, and the Heads of the York Rite, for the purpose of developing plans to improve their situation and ours. (*Applause*)

These plans will be presented to the Grand Masters Conference for action when it meets in Washington, D. C., the week of Washington's Birthday.

In 1958 Imperial Potentate George E. Stringfellow held a meeting with the heads of the Scottish Rite, the York Rite, the Chairman of the Grand Masters Conference, and the Secretary of the Conference, in the late Fall of 1958. At this meeting it was decided that Imperial Potentate Stringfellow would invite all the Grand Masters, all the Deputy Grand Masters, all the Grand Secretaries, the Heads of the Scottish Rite Northern and Southern Jurisdictions, and the Head of the Commandery, to meet with him in Washington in February 1959, the day before the Grand Masters Conference got under way. Such a meeting was held and it was eminently successful. It was attended—I had the privilege of attending—by a large number of Grand Masters and their Aides. The Imperial Potentate outlined to the Grand Masters that the Shrine, with a membership of over 800,000, wanted to do something to help the Masonic Bodies, and asked them to point out what in their opinion the Shrine could do. Grand Masters spoke for two and a half to three hours. Their remarks were recorded, printed in booklet form and distributed all over the country. Here are the names of a few of the Grand Masters present who spoke: Sanford M. Chilcote, Grand Master of Pennsylvania; Chester Hodges, Past Potentate and Grand Master of Ohio; Dr. J. Miles Martin, Grand Master of Minnesota; Dr. Gilbert J. Schwartz, Grand Master of Wisconsin; Ronald C. Nicholson, Grand Master of Arizona; R. N. Vandegriff, Sr., Grand Master of Georgia; Andrew G. Jenkins, Grand Master of Massachusetts; Robert R. Berryman, Grand Master of Alabama; Cantwell C. Brown, Grand Master of Mexico; Theodore J. Jena, Grand Master of Indiana; Marvin S. Whitton, Grand Master of Kentucky; Samuel Dexter Forbes, Grand Master of Virginia; Luther A. Smith, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Southern Jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite; and many others.

The following Imperial Officers were present in addition to Imperial Potentate Stringfellow: Orville Rush, Imperial Captain of the Guard; George A. Mattison, Imperial Chief Rabban; George M. Saunders, Imperial Recorder and myself.

Commenting on this meeting, Thomas C. Law, Past Imperial Potentate, that beloved southern gentleman we all respected, revered and loved so much, these are his words taken from the record. (*Reading*)

"A dream of a score of years ago has become a reality. Many of the Shrine leaders of those years have been inspired by the gradual development of a closer affiliation and a better understanding between the Shrine and the prerequisite bodies of Freemasonry. This cherished theme culminated in a marvelous joint conference planned and conducted by Imperial Potentate George Stringfellow with Grand Masters of some fifty jurisdictions in Washington on February 21st. This was the opening function of 'Masonic Week.' Now true 'Masonic Unity' is combining that contentment which the principles and precepts of Masonry bring with the pursuit of happiness which the Shrine seeks to establish true American democracy, God grant that the trend be continued and nurtured by the orderly addition of youth to our ranks, so that fraternity and freedom may be perpetuated on the earth."

Then the Hon. Galloway Calhoun, Past Imperial Potentate, the beloved Chairman of our Hospital Trustees, Past Grand Master of Masons in Texas, these are his words. (*Reading*)

"It was a joyous privilege to attend the conference of Imperial Potentate George E. Stringfellow with Grand Masters in Washington February 21, 1959. Having long hoped and worked for a closer relationship between all recognized Bodies of Freemasonry and the Shrine, this meeting, where Grand Master after Grand Master evidenced such a splendid attitude toward the Shrine, was truly a heart-warming experience for me. Surely this meaningful conference will do much toward further cementing us in closer bonds of Masonic fellowship."

As most of you are aware, Past Imperial Potentate Frank Land was the founder of DeMolay and for years gave a Grand Masters breakfast at their conference. With his passing the Shrine gave what they called the "Frank Land Memorial Breakfast." This was continued for a number of years but was dropped this last year largely because they didn't hold the Grand Masters Conference in Washington but moved it to Kansas City, Missouri, where the facilities and timing were not as adequate as they should have been. I now propose to re-establish this "Frank Land Memorial Breakfast." In my estimation it builds good will. It at least builds good relationship and understanding. It is difficult to quarrel with a man that you know and understand and can shake by the hand.

I propose to appoint a Masonic Relations Committee and intend to name George E. Stringfellow as its Chairman and that will have for its purpose improving the Shrine's relations with all Masonic Bodies. This is an important job and something that has been taken for granted for some years.

I have in mind appointing Past Imperial George Stringfellow as Chairman of my Membership Committee in order that we may sell Masonry and the Shrine not only to Masons but to potential Masons and to help to build this great organization to the million mark, which Past Imperial Potentate Harvey Beffa so long wanted to do. His slogan throughout his year as Imperial Potentate was, "Each one bring one."

I shall take many leaves from the books of these great men who have preceded me. Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., has brought to fruition his ambition that this Code should be revised in an orderly fashion. You Representatives yesterday

adopted that revision. It is not a cure-all. It did not change the spirit of your law but it placed it before you in a more understandable and a more accessible form where you may evaluate and spot its errors in conjunction with its needed correction. As I have already assured you, a Committee of the most learned men in this Imperial Council will be appointed to study our law and to place before you its recommendations at the 91st Session in Washington, D. C., and when amendments are made, it is with the hope that it will be amended in a most orderly and lasting manner and not a piecemeal job which will further complicate and confuse. Let us plan for perfection as we wish it to be done.

It is my intention to follow Walter Guy's slogan, "Let us strengthen what we have," and believe me we have much to strengthen. I am mindful of the musk ox of the Arctic. When faced with adversity and their enemies, they form a tight ring with their heads down facing out, with the young and the females in the center, thus forming a formidable front for a decisive attack challenging to those who would otherwise destroy them. Let us close ranks. We can ill afford the expensive luxury within this great Masonic fraternity of division and separation. It is within the Shrine, the great canopy which extends its protective wings of unity over the entire continent of North America, and all Grand Lodge jurisdictions even across international boundaries, this is the one Masonic organization that can bring unity, give leadership which can bring a forward building movement. This is the one great organization that can present a solid front to be admired by our friends and to face the challenge of our enemies. Even they respect and fear us.

For this reason we have developed a sound public relations program or, as I call it, a publicity and Masonic relations program, because I fear the mention of public relations might indicate that we are having difficulty with our public image which you can be assured we are not. All forms of news disseminating media will tell our story if we but give them the fraternal story as we would have it told.

It is my intention this year to put every Past Imperial Potentate back in the harness since you and I have a great investment in these men. They have labored in the vineyard over a dozen or more years. Theirs is the knowledge that comes only from service and experience. I shall harness these latent resources directing them to the building of tomorrow. I am neither brilliant, capable nor dynamic enough to do this job by myself; nor am I stupid enough to attempt it.

It is my hope that Imperial Sir George A. Mattison, Jr., will continue to give of himself so unstintingly to our building projects. He will prove a strong link in this administration.

I shall call upon the vast financial experience of Imperial Sir William H. Woodfield, Jr. as a member of the Investment Committee.

We shall continue the efforts of Imperial Sir Gerald D. Crary for a uniform accounting system.

A page will be taken from Rennie L. Arnold's administration so far as his public and membership relations are concerned. He also started the program to own our own home.

Each and every member of this Imperial Divan has assured me of loyalty and support. Each has my full confidence. A jurisdiction for each Imperial Officer will be assigned with my authority to act since the lesser details can be settled at local

levels. I believe in and respect Temple rights as I respect States rights. (*Applause*) I believe in a hands-off policy with the local Temples. There is but one man in any Temple whom I will hold responsible and that is the Potentate, and when that Potentate alibies that he can not control his Shrine Clubs or his uniformed bodies, I shall be telling you and him, my friends, that that is his duty and responsibility since he alone will be held responsible and accountable to me. Time and again as I visit a Temple and pass the gavel back to the Potentate I shall remind him that he is the Potentate of the Temple with all the power, the dignity and the authority with which he is vested. He is to be likened to the Captain of the ship even though the Admiral comes aboard. We want to protect that sovereignty with a minimum of interference from the Imperial Council. But you are the Imperial Council. I subscribe to the philosophy that those are governed best who are governed the least.

I am taking every Imperial Officer by the hand. There shall be no under the table dealing. Everything will be laid out for each and all to know and understand. We shall work together as the Board of Directors which we are and that you elected us to perform in both the charitable and fraternal organizations. You have given us this authority. You have placed this confidence in us. We will not violate that trust. We want you to always understand that that which we propose from this rostrum comes from the best combined thinking of the Directors of both corporations and we deliver it to you in all sincerity and honesty for your review and for your decision because the final disposition rests with you. If there are laws you wish amended or changed, yours is the responsibility and the duty to change them. We shall advise you, but the ultimate decision is yours.

These Nobles who are coming after me shall be vested with all the information that comes to me since I desire, as do you, every Imperial Officer when he stands before this rostrum to have a more successful year than mine will be. This will be a good year. It will be made so with your help and encouragement. You expect a good year. You have the right to its reality. It is my responsibility to see that it is done, and I am not accustomed to failures. These Imperial Officers as they move into this position, will each give you better administrations than I could even dream of and we will continually strengthen again the things that we have.

Past Imperial Potentate Marshall M. Porter, the only survivor of the Burns Institutes movement and, like Freeland Kendrick, could well be called the Father of this humanitarian project, will be returned to the active committees of this Imperial Council. While we disagree on lesser issues, we have a common heritage. We think what we say and we say what we think and we can disagree with each other and still be friends and brothers still respecting each other's opinions. He also made a terrific contribution in calling attention to the rights, worth and dignity of the individual and an alarming drift toward mediocrity and collectivism.

The programs of each living Past Imperial Potentate will be consolidated and added to our forward march to greater heights and achievements. We can ill afford for their efforts to become as driftwood. We shall bind up the wounds of battle. We shall draw closer together and beneath the compass and square, the double eagle, the cross and crown, the scimitar and crescent will ever continue our beacon of faith and hope.

My friends, you have been most patient and attentive this morning. Figures and statistics are always boring. As your Imperial Potentate places his program before you, it may seem rather cold and uncolorful, but surely you should know what is innermost in my heart. I do not believe, and I am sure each member of this Imperial

Divan concurs, that this great Imperial Council exists solely for the glorification of its Imperial Potentate. I know of no individual more honored and revered. This we cherish. But I want to come to you not at my convenience or come not at all if you should not desire me. I ask only to serve wherever and whenever I can be helpful to you in that great program of membership, building of wills, gifts and bequests, and in public and fraternal relations. Let me come to you when and where I can meet the greatest number of people, not only Shriners but Masons, their wives and those who are prospective Masons as well.

I have a great story to tell that is not of my own fabrication. The mantle of my predecessors has fallen upon my shoulders at a time when the history of this Shrine of North America is again in the making, the most historic time that any Imperial Potentate has even ascended to this office. The story that is mine is the progress we are making in the field of burns. This is a novel that the world shall hear and the greatest story that is being told in our time. I cannot relate it more eloquently than you or more ably than any other Noble on this Imperial Divan. The fact that I shall be wearing five stars on my fez which says that this is the Imperial Potentate, the leader of this vast Shrine of North America, regardless of who the individual may be, he speaks with authority, prestige, recognition and the respect of all—even our enemies. The Shrine of North America has left seven-league tracks across the pages of history and those seven-league tracks are becoming larger and more distinguishable as we march down the pages of history together.

I want every Noble within the sound of my voice to realize his importance, his worth, his individuality, his dignity and his potential leadership in his community, not only for the Shrine and the Fraternity but for all mankind. There was never as great a need in the world as there is today for leadership. You Nobles who have come into the Shrine have proven your leadership. You owe it to your respective countries and your respective communities if we are to save and to hold the priceless treasures that are ours in these three great nations under the protection of this encompassing Shrine of North America.

Under the banner of God, family, fraternity, charity and country, we shall cast our shadows of benevolences and beneficence down the dim vistas of unborn days.

Imperial Sir Harold Close, again I have gone over my time limit and I extend to you my apologies and return to you this gavel and ask you to carry on. (*Standing applause*)

(The meeting of the Imperial Potentate-elect with the Potentates and Chief Rabans adjourned at 10:05 A.M.)

MORNING SESSION

Thursday, July 23, 1964

Ten Ten o'Clock A.M.

The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., reconvened in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel, Thursday, July 23, 1964, at 10:10 A.M., Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close presiding.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, will you please come to order.

Nobles, we have a very short day today. We are going to have to recess this

meeting this afternoon, regardless of what is before you, at three-thirty and I want you to know that now because of the time to get out to the start of the parade. It is going to start right after six o'clock. So if we can, let's endeavor to expedite business as much as possible.

I would like to open and ask the Imperial Chaplain to lead us in prayer.

REV. AND NOBLE RUSSELL E. CAMP: Let us pray. Almighty God, how often we have prayed, O Lord, my God, is there no help for the widow's son? And yet within the deepness of our hearts we have known always that Thou art ever near before us. Be with us in our deliberations this day, O Lord, that we may always meet on the level and part on the square and may be able to say after today that what we have done today we shall be glad to remember tomorrow to Thy Glory and in Thy Name. Amen.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I want to make a statement to you. I have led you to believe, and certainly I do not want to mislead you, I have led you to believe and you have been informed that if the revisions were adopted and passed that any member of the Imperial Council would have the opportunity to present any amendment they wanted, that they would be brought before you and you would have an opportunity to discuss it and vote upon it. Now I am going to ask Judge Jordan, who is a member of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, to make a brief statement.

NORLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Imperial Sir, Fellow Representatives. You will recall that on yesterday Imperial Sir Carlyle Brock announced that it was his intention to appoint a committee to do some further repair work on the new Code, and following that you will recall that Imperial Sir Marshall Porter made a motion following the offering of certain amendments by the Representative from Ainad Temple that those amendments be referred to the incoming committee to be appointed by the incoming Potentate. That motion was carried and is so recorded in the records of our proceedings.

Now from a parliamentary standpoint, in order that these amendments may be brought out, discussed and acted upon, it will be necessary for someone who voted in favor of the motion of Judge Porter to make a motion that that motion be reconsidered. Any Representative is qualified to second that motion and a majority of the convention will prevail. I have suggested that that be done and perhaps in the light of what has been said this morning perhaps Imperial Sir Judge Porter might make that motion should he so desire.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: Imperial Sir, I voted for the motion of Marshall Porter and I now make that motion in order to preserve your integrity and keep you straight with the boys out here. You made the offer in good faith I know. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you very much. The motion is made. Will you comment? What is your pleasure?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor. Opposed. It is carried.

Now, Nobles, the first order of business scheduled this morning is consideration of the per capita tax. I am going to call on the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee for their report.

NOBLE WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON: (*Reading*)
To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to renumber and amend § 211.4 (a); to amend § 327.3 (a) (10); and to create § 211.4 (b) and (c) of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to an increase in the annual per capita tax, as follows:

§ 211.4 (a) is renumbered and amended to read:

§ 211.4 ANNUAL PER CAPITA TAX.

(a) Each Temple shall pay an annual *per capita* tax to the Imperial Council of \$1.10 for each member of the Temple.

§ 211.4 (b) and (c) are created to read:

§ 211.4 (b) *The full amount of the per capita tax shall be passed on to each member as a part of his annual dues, unless the Temple, by affirmative vote at a stated meeting, elects to absorb all or part of the per capita tax, in which event that part not absorbed by the Temple shall be passed on to each member as a part of his annual dues.*

(c) *The increase in per capita tax from 60 cents to \$1.10 is effective January 1, 1965.*

§ 327.3 (a) (10) is amended to read:

§ 327.3 (a) (10) Arrange to remit to the Imperial Recorder the per capita tax on the basis of \$1.10 per member as follows:

(i) With the annual return, 50%.

(ii) Before June 1st, 35%; and

(iii) Before October 1st, the remaining 15%.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND
LAWS

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WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

The report is signed by all the members of the Committee. It is submitted.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the submission of the report by the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. I recognize Ford Elvidge.

NOBLE FORD Q. ELVIDGE: Imperial Sir, I move that the amendment be adopted.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Is that seconded? (*Motion seconded*) Nobles, you have heard the motion to adopt the amendment on the per capita tax.

Now I would like to have the privilege of making a statement to you. I have had the opportunity of discussing it very frankly with many of you around the table; with some, I have not had the opportunity. I want to point out to you that the proposal here is that after thirty-four years the per capita tax be increased by 50 cents which is simply less than one penny a week per Shriner and the proposal is not to take this out of the Temple except on vote of the Temple but to pass on the per capita tax to the individual Shriner. If this is done the Temples then would benefit by the 50 cents they are now paying to the Imperial Council and the Imperial Council will benefit also by the additional 50 cents. I simply want to make that clear to you. If, however, the Temple desires to take it out of your treasury they can bring it before their body and so vote.

It is now open for discussion.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir and Representatives. The matter before us is not based so much on the price of a newspaper or price of a cigar, it is based on much more than that. I think the first thing to be determined, and upon that everything is based, is upon necessity. The fact that our per capita has not been increased for X number of years is immaterial. If it were necessary to introduce an increase it could have been last year, next year, the year makes no difference. The question is, is it necessary?

I look at the reports, as I am sure you all do, of the Imperial Council. The report of the Imperial Recorder refers to the increase and says it is for a much needed program to supply necessary funds for the public relations program he has developed, the adequate promotion of increased membership and the proper payment of increase in mileage and per diem remuneration to Imperial Council Representatives, as well as funds to insure a four-day business session for the Imperial Council to provide time for further consideration of important business matters of the Imperial Council.

This is the first time we have had a four-day session. We may not need a four-day session at any other time. Much of it depends on how much of the time is allocated to us to do the work instead of other matters.

How are we getting along now? We look at the membership report. That is 834,286. So that the 50 cent raise would mean that we would be getting about \$420,000 a year additional. \$420,000 is quite a good deal of money and is it necessary?

A showing should be made on how are we fixed. The comparative report as of December 31 shows that we have in the Imperial Council, that is the Iowa Corporation, Government bonds worth \$661,000 and current assets of \$871,000. We have got in stuff you can put your hands on over \$1½ million. So we are not aching there.

The income and expenses in 1962, without going to figures we had, the totals show that the income was greater than the expenditures. The same thing applies in 1963. For instance, in 1963 the amount shown as excess of income over expenses, is \$28,000. Of course, that year the notation is here, last year they paid into the

employees' pension \$77,000 of which \$66,000 was owed from the years gone by, so we won't have that recurring. In other words, last year we had income over expenses of \$95,000. The year before it was \$108,000. I think that will be enough of that to prove we are not aching.

We could spend more if they had more. Of course, there is still necessity. The idea of just saying we ought to vote it because then we can hand it over to the membership and say they forced us to do that, I don't like that. I don't like to come to an Imperial Council Session representing them and not really believing in my heart that the increase should be granted and could vote for it only because I don't want a raise but the Imperial Council said not that they must but if they don't we will have to pay for it out of our funds.

I am not in favor of the increase. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Are there other remarks? John Vesey.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: Imperial Sir, members of the Divan and Representatives. I think practically every Temple in North America has raised its dues, and why? It is because your 1940 dollar last year was worth 44 cents. I don't know what it is worth today. The dollar has been shrinking the last twenty-four years from 100 cents down to less than 44 cents. You have just heard for a great many years this per capita tax has been 50 cents. That 50 cents per capita is worth 24 cents in purchasing. If you have had to raise your own dues I see no reason you should be surprised that the Imperial Council has to raise its per capita tax a little bit. Gentlemen, let's not waste a lot of time. Let's vote the increase.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I now recognize the Potentate of Omar Temple.

NOBLE A. J. M. WANNAMAKER: Imperial Sir, fellow delegates. My name is Wannamaker from Omar Temple.

Yesterday we passed an amendment which, in my opinion, opened the door for some future group to do away with the Hospital assessment. Unfortunately I sat idly by and had nothing to say. Today I can't pass that up on this proposed change. The amount that was retained yesterday on your Hospital assessment if taken at an average figure of \$2.50 in my Temple would be equal to 40 per cent of the increase of the dues that will be made by adopting this proposed change.

There is no doubt in my mind but dues should be increased. In Omar Temple two years ago we increased our dues from \$10 to \$15, or 50 per cent. I most heartily endorse this proposed change to increase the dues from 60 cents to \$1.10 and I frankly am of the opinion that in my Temple it will not be necessary to ask for any increase in dues because we have already anticipated this move.

As for the change in the Hospital assessment yesterday I propose to ask that my Temple not change that but continue to make the full contribution for every new candidate. We are not a wealthy Temple. We are an average Temple, about 3,600 members, but we do recognize the need for properly financing this organization on a sound business basis. I heartily endorse the proposed change to the By-laws to increase the dues. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I want to make another statement, if I may. The amount has been mentioned as \$400,000 which is a lot of money. It is. We have over 800,000 members and those of you whom I have met with, you know

my thinking but those who have not had the opportunity of meeting with me do not know. My present thinking in my recommendation has been to our Imperial Divan that this \$400,000, if some of the proposals that I am proposing here such as closer liaison with the Temples, go back to our old method of bookkeeping, dividing our expenses 50 per cent between the Colorado Corporation and the Iowa Corporation, we will be supporting our Hospitals then on the same basis that our predecessors have done, and we can spend right away with the proposals and recommendations close to \$100,000 of this \$400,000. The balance would give us a surplus starting as of now of \$300,000 a year which again would start up here and gradually go down as our costs gradually go up. I just want you to know what our thinking is.

The Chairman of the Finance and Accounts Committee has asked to be recognized, Past Imperial Potentate Melham.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Imperial Sir and Representatives. In a desire to be informative, since reference was made to the surplus account as it exists, I think you should know that as of this time six months into 1964 with the services that are being demanded and proposed, at some point in this Session we will have to come to you for authorization to take from surplus to finish out 1964. I give you some of the reasons. There is going to be, presumably, a pension charge for the employees of the Iowa Corporation of \$10,000. There is additional personnel to the Recorder's office, salaries of \$20,000. There is a matter of \$1,500 to balance out printing costs. There is a \$5,000 increase suggested for Shrine Room maintenance over previous years. There will be some \$8,000 we estimate for finishing up the renovation of the Shrine Rooms in Alexandria. The extra day's per diem on the present basis, which we of course could not anticipate a year ago in Chicago, will require \$24,000 for that one day at \$30 a day for each of you. If you pass the \$35 a day, which has been or is about to be suggested, and if there is any increase in mileage, which has been discussed here and there, from 20 cents at present to 25 cents that again is something that could not have been anticipated by your Officers or Finance Committee. That is going to require an extra \$63,000.

Now if all of these things I have just mentioned are approved by you gentlemen we will need \$181,000 more than we had anticipated for this year.

Excuse me, there is one other item. There is a proposal to re-publish in a paperback edition the Parade to Glory and to extend the history since that was issued in 1960—I believe it came out that year, am I right—and the additional reason for re-editing and adding to it is to get into Parade to Glory the embarkation of the Burns Institutes.

That is \$181,000 and if that is passed it looks as if we will have to stand \$784,000 this year.

I give that to you for your information. It is clear to your Finance Committee if the services are to be continued and extended the Iowa Corporation has got to get more money somewhere, somehow, and our sources are exceedingly limited. Your per diem takes up at least 40 per cent of our chief source of revenue, initiation fees and the dues.

Thank you, Sir.

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Past Potentate Foreman of Khartum Temple.

NOBLE SYDNEY W. FOREMAN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Illustrious Sirs and Noble Representatives. The Imperial Potentate and the Imperial Recorder know that I wish to say something and as an elected Representative of my Temple, which by comparison is a small one, I feel as if I have an obligation to each and every one of you to at least say what I have to say and in respect to this I ask your indulgence.

All of us have known for some considerable time that the question of the per capita tax was going to be raised at this Ninetieth Session in the City of New York. I will have to make reference to certain things as I go along and if you will please bear with me for one or two minutes in regard to this I would like to say that there may be times when you think I am wandering from the subject but believe me, Nobles, it is what I consider and what we consider part and parcel of the overall picture.

Most of us have seen the booklet published by the Imperial Council called Financial Facts and on pages 2 and 3 a comparison is made of the per capita tax and mileage and per diem expenses for the year 1958 and 1961. There is, of course, a big difference between the 47 per cent of the receipts that were paid to Representatives in 1958 and the 74 per cent of the receipts that were paid to Representatives in 1961, and it would seem that from this showing that our expenses are increasing every year. Actually, of course, the real reason for the big difference between 47 per cent and 74 per cent was the fact that in 1958 the session was held in Chicago and in 1961 the session was held in Miami. It is only natural to expect that a session held in the extreme Southeastern corner of the jurisdiction would be more costly than one held in the central location.

Most of you are familiar with the fact that the book of proceedings is sent out from headquarters each year. In the 1963 issue of the proceedings we find on pages 252 and 253 Exhibit C, and also the report of the Finance and Accounts Committee on pages 177 and 176, information that if you check you can see for yourself is authentic.

In 1962 per capita tax receipts were \$414,000. In 1962 the mileage and per diem expenses were \$230,000. In 1962 the Imperial Session was held in Toronto and only 56 per cent of the per capita tax was paid to Representatives. The Finance and Accounts Committee estimates that for 1963 the per capita tax receipts would be \$415,000 and actually based on this last report that we have they were \$417,000. The mileage and per diem expenses for the Chicago session were estimated to be \$205,000 and they were only \$200,000. This means that on this basis that less than 49 per cent of the per capita tax would have been paid to Representatives in 1963.

On pages 6 and 7 in Financial Facts it is made to appear that the initiation fee and investment income is steadily declining. However, again referring to the published figures in the 1963 proceedings it can be seen that in 1962 initiation fees were \$81,000 and in 1963 they were estimated to be \$81,000 and they were actually \$88,000. Surely this doesn't show evidence of decline.

On the same pages of Financial Facts it showed that our investment income in 1962 was \$19,400 and the estimate for 1963 investment income was \$35,000. It actually turned out to be \$37,000. Surely we can say that this isn't evidence of decline. In fact, it was more than \$7,000 more than in 1958.

In giving thought to this question of increasing the per capita tax there are a lot of items to be considered. In our Temple as a small Temple, I hope you will bear with me while I quote a few more figures which our Imperial Potentate-elect said a little while ago that statistics are boring. It is 1,768 miles from New York to Winnipeg, Canada, and the cost for mileage for Representatives is \$353. The per diem allowance amounts to \$120 and the total cost to each Representative is \$473. The total cost for four Representatives is \$1,894 and we pay \$1,386 per capita tax which leaves a minus position for the Imperial Council of \$508. Now if we turn around and relate this again to what is being proposed by the Imperial Council for the increase in per diem and the mileage allowance we then find that the Imperial Council has a minus position of \$942.

I think it is agreed that many of our Temples around the same size as ours are in a financial situation where an extra 50 cents per man will work a hardship.

Now I said that I would leave this for a minute and make another one or two proposals. I think it is agreed that the Shrine is big business and when ordinary big business find themselves in a position such as we are in today the question of expenses and their control are carefully considered. When we look at the situation fair and square and we consider the importance of dollars it is our opinion that two or possibly three Representatives from each Temple is more than sufficient to do the job that we have to do and based on this proposal on behalf of our Temple it would work out if we had two Representatives that we would give the Imperial Council a plus position, based on our present 60 cents and the present per diem and mileage allowance, would give the Imperial a plus position of \$227.

If we sit in judgment and are critical of some things then we should also be prepared to offer some suggestions that deal with this overall question of expense and the reasons given to us for the need of the increase in per capita tax. This again raises in our opinion the important question of Imperial Council Sessions as they are held at the present time. I am certainly not alone in my feeling that the huge spectacle of the Imperial is an interesting experience but, as we all know, a costly one and one in which mostly those Temples who are financially able can consider taking Units to a Session. If we recognize the cost of bringing a Representative to the coast then we also have to consider the cost of at least one-half that figure for each man in the Units, and remember this expense is borne by the Temple in taking the Units to the Session with some possible contribution by the Noble.

Do we not also have to face the fact that any parade that lasts more than two hours becomes more of an endurance test rather than a parade or spectacle? On all sides we hear that Imperial is getting too big. Six to seven hours to have a parade pass a reviewing stand we must admit, if only to ourselves, is a tremendous ordeal and our medical men say it is dangerous. It is only natural to suppose that each Imperial Potentate would like to have an Imperial Session in his year bigger and better than that of his predecessor and based on our present setup he is entitled to it. However, we think it would be well to consider the setting up of a Regional Imperial Council Session and to divide the country into four, five or six regions and hold the Session alternatively in the principal cities of the regions as they may be laid out and only the Temples that are located in the respective regions would participate in the Session. Elected Representatives, of course, would attend wherever the Session were held. This plan would allow many more Temples to participate and operating within their region would be much

less costly to the Temple. We personally feel that we would be greatly surprised at the response that we would get from a personally properly worded questionnaire dealing with the proposal outlined.

We can appreciate, of course, that someone somewhere will have to be prepared to make a sacrifice. However, if it is in the general interest of Shrinedom is it not time that it be considered? We venture to say that the Imperial Sir who makes such a decision will be most popular. We must bear in mind also that if we should divide into regions that many more cities would be available to us insofar as housing and accommodations are concerned.

You have been most generous and attentive and we appreciate this. We have a good deal of additional information that has been taken from Shrine records and proceedings if anyone is interested in seeing them. I must say that before we could support the proposal to increase the per capita tax I would like to see more evidence of its need and again it is our opinion and backed by a good many others that the reduction of expenses is an aim that we should concern ourselves with and this can be easily done within our own ranks and without hurting anybody. I thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you.

Nobles, may I just remind you that the proposal to reduce the Representatives or do something with the Imperial Council Sessions is not before us at the present time. I would hope that you would confine your remarks to the proposal before us.

I recognize Dr. Payne from Hella Temple.

NOBLE VIRGIL M. PAYNE, JR.: I call for the question.

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The question is called for.

NOBLE WALTER A. DELAMATER: I asked for the floor a while ago.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You understand now the position we are in. (*Laughter*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Imperial Sir and fellow Representatives. The previous question has been called and it has been seconded. That eliminates all further debate. The question now before the house is, shall the previous question be put?

Those in favor will signify by saying, "Aye." Those opposed, "No." The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and the question now before the house is, shall the per capita tax be increased to the sum of \$1.10?

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: May I ask the parliamentarian whether he was qualified to put the question, or the Chairman?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I asked the gentleman to preside.

NOBLE GERALD D. CRARY: Nobles, I am the most impotent Past Imperial Potentate we have had. To be fair, we have a pocketful of secret ballots and I move that the motion be voted on by secret ballot.

VOICES: No! No!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: It is the consensus of the Chair that the proposal was voted down.

Now the recommendation of the Committee to increase the per capita tax 50 cents. That has been called for. You understand what you are voting for. This takes two-thirds vote of the registered Representatives. All in favor of the proposal say, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair two-thirds of the registered Representatives voted in favor. (*Applause*)

VOICES: No! No!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Will the Election Tellers and Judges please be prepared to count the votes. Clyde, are you prepared? Nobles, if you will give us just a couple of minutes the Tellers and Judges will be here to count your votes.

Nobles, I could resolve this and certainly I would like to resolve this in the manner you would prefer. Do you prefer a roll call or standing vote? All in favor of a standing vote say, "Aye." Opposed.

Nobles, I don't know whether you want to reconsider your vote. I am advised that a paper ballot would be quicker and more accurate in every way. I am willing to do whatever you want.

Nobles, in order to expedite this and have you vote in accordance with the dictates of your own conscience I am going to ask you to agree to vote by paper ballot. You have these notes that you can mark yes or no. (*Applause*)

I am going to suggest that the blue ballot No. 7 in your book be used. You simply mark it yes which is for the increase in the per capita tax, or no if you are against it. And no other ballot will be counted by the Tellers except No. 7, the blue ballot.

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: May I be notified if the Election Committee is ready? Noble Joe Howell, are your boys ready?

NOBLE JOE C. HOWELL: Yes.

(The Representatives cast their ballots on the question of the per capita tax.)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, has everybody voted? Have all voted who wish? I declare the ballot box closed.

Now, Nobles, yesterday we had a report on the Time and Place Committee and our Imperial Potentate-elect was not present at the time. I am sure you would like to know where next year's convention is going to be held and I am going to call on our Imperial Potentate-elect O. Carlyle Brock.

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Potentate and Representatives. You heard the Time and Place Committee report yesterday when I was out in a press conference. The plans are proceeding for the 1965 convention at the Nation's Capitol, or the Capitol of the World. We have a very fine organization here. You have undoubtedly been reading of the great things they have prepared for you at the Nation's Capitol. Imperial Sir Orville Rush is acting as my Director General there. I think it will be a great convention, probably the most historic and memorable convention in our time. At this time I will be able to report to you of great progress on the Burns Institutes that are so near and dear to our hearts.

As you know, the Nation's Capitol transcends all other cities as far as news disseminating media are concerned. I am sure by that time we will have captured the hearts and the imagination of this nation and our neighbors to the extent that our ambitions, so far as publicity is concerned, will be brought to fruition. I am confident that you and all of you and all of your uniformed bodies will be proud to parade down that great Michigan Avenue, the Avenue of Presidents.

VOICES: Pennsylvania Avenue!

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Pennsylvania Avenue, I am sorry. (*Laughter*) I was thinking in terms of our Chicago office. My error.

I am sure that that will be a great day for the Shrine and a great day for you. It is true that there are only a few cities on this continent capable of handling this great Imperial Council convention but the Shrine of North America is the show window of Masonry and we are judged by what the people see and the bigger we are and more displays we put on the greater will be our future and the finer will be our public image. The reason the Shrine is the great organization that it is, is because we are unique and different. We present the image of the Masonic Fraternity to the world. (*Applause*)

VOICES: What dates?

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: I just want the Illustrious Potentate to say just a word to you.

NOBLE WILLIAM J. MILEHAM: Imperial Sirs, Imperial Representatives and Nobles. I have noticed that quite often people find it a privilege and take pleasure in saying something. I am going to be a little bit different. I get a whale of a big bang out of extending to you the invitation to come to the Nation's Capitol. This will be exactly thirty years from the time that we had our last Shrine Convention in Washington. I have heard a few rumors going around about hotel rooms. I would like to dispel any such rumors. I can tell you right now that we have two and one-half times as many rooms as we used in Chicago as reported by the Housing Bureau. All of these rooms are air conditioned. Ninety per cent of them are either in the center of the town or within twenty minutes drive of town, ten minutes drive, excuse me.

This is a famous vacation spot. If you haven't been there within the last two or three years you will find many, many new attractions for you. Our Committees are functioning. We have present at this meeting not only your Director General Orville Rush, the three Deputy Directors General, the Housing Chairman and the Chairman of the Convention Bureau. We are ready for you. We are very, very proud that you are coming and I personally promise you that you shall enjoy every minute of it.

VOICES: What are the dates?

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: It is the week of July 11.

Nobles, the press is waiting for me. I want to move the adoption of the Time and Place Committee report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, it is moved and seconded that the report of the Time and Place Committee be adopted. All those in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

Is the Chairman of the Finance Committee ready to report on 1963?

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Yes, I am.

Imperial Sirs and Representatives. It is customary for the Committee at this time to bring in the final report on the operations for 1963. I submit that many of these facts that I present have already been given but please bear with me so we can have your approval included in the proceedings of this Session. *(Reading)*
To The Imperial Potentate, Imperial Divan and the Representatives of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

Gentlemen:

Your Committee has examined the Auditor's Report of the Iowa Corporation for the year ending December 31, 1963, the details of which are listed in the red Book of Reports which has been previously furnished you. For a number of years it has been customary for our Committee to report in its findings the variances that have occurred from the original budget approved by this Body.

For 1963 the Imperial Council approved—

	Orig. Budget (In Toronto) 1962	Revised Budget Chicago 1963	Actual	Over (or under) Budget
Anticipated				
Income	\$624,443.35	\$624,443.35	\$636,572.35	\$ 12,128.90
Less Anticipated				
Expenditures	563,573.56	640,958.30	608,132.01	(32,826.29)
Excess Income				
over Expenses as reported by Imp. Potentate			28,440.24	
Plus—Refund 1961 Real Estate Taxes received in 1963			9,554.22	
Total Surplus, returned to General Fund Surplus			\$ 37,994.46	

Significant in the Actual Income was \$18,000.00 which included donations from Subordinate Temples to establish a fund for our National Headquarters building in Chicago. Actual expenses, not initially anticipated, include:

Public Relations Expenses	\$ 13,785.00
Shrine Rooms Repair and Renovation	19,931.00
Employee Retirement contribution	77,476.00
Total	\$111,192.00

We were fortunate indeed to have absorbed this amount and still show a net return of \$28,440.24 to Surplus.

Our Corporation's chief source of revenue (80% of the total) in 1963 from Annual Dues and Initiation Fees, amounted to \$505,508.00. Forty per cent of this, (\$201,000.00) was paid over to the Representatives in Mileage and Per Diem allowances.

Any review of financial operations for 1963 in comparison with previous years, demonstrates ever-increasing costs, as the Corporation carries on its Fraternal services. Since our sources of income are few, it seems apparent that we must secure additional income from these same sources in order to provide for additional services.

Your Committee carefully examined voucher checks issued during the year, showing Payee, Amount, and Account charged thereto, and is of the opinion all items are in accordance with the reports of the Imperial Treasurer and the Imperial Recorder.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS

THOMAS W. MELHAM, *Chairman*
B. W. VETTER
LEWIS S. PARSONS
LINCOLN G. KELLY
JESSE A. WHITE
JAMES A. MCKNIGHT
YNGVAR BRYNILDSEN

Imperial Sir, I move that the report be accepted and placed in the proceedings of this Imperial Council Session. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion. Any discussion? All in favor signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

The Chairman of the Jurisdictional Lines, Les Swan, is Les Swan ready to report? (*No response*)

The Chairman of the Dispensations and Charters Committee, Ken Paxton, is he ready to report?

NOBLE KENNETH T. PAXTON: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, fellow Representatives. There are two reports to be made by your Dispensations and Charters Committee. I will ask Past Potentate Virgil Frizzell of Beni Kedem Temple, who so willingly served as our Secretary, to make the first report for the Committee.

NOBLE VIRGIL F. FRIZZELL: (*Reading*)

To the Officers and Representatives of the Imperial Council: Meeting in the Ninetieth Session, assembled in New York City, July 21, 1964:

Your Committee on Dispensations and Charters met July 18, 1964, 9 A.M., Room 551, New York Hilton Hotel pursuant to call of the Imperial Recorder for the purpose of receiving, hearing and acting on a petition bearing the signatures of a number of Nobles in the State of Louisiana praying they be granted Dispensation for the forming of a new Temple in the State of Louisiana to be known as Ahmar Temple, located in Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana.

The Committee on Jurisdictional Lines, pursuant to the By-Laws of the Imperial Council was present during the hearing on the petition. The Chairman called upon the Petitioners who presented their petition, as also did the Recorder of Jerusalem Temple who stated his opposition to the petition and who then read a letter from Illustrious Potentate Earl H. Smith stating his objections to the granting of the petition. His letter had previously been received by all members of the Committee.

Ample opportunity was accorded proponents and opponents to be heard. After a full and free discussion, the Committee on Jurisdictional Lines retired, and your Committee on Dispensations and Charters went into executive session. After serious discussion, a vote was taken by the members of the Committee, a majority voting

in the negative. Your Committee recommends to this Imperial Council Session that said petition be not granted.

Signed:

KENNETH T. PAXTON, *Chairman*
 WILLIAM J. MILEHAM
 CLIFFORD W. MILLS
 LOUIS CHACKES
 VIRGIL F. FRIZZELL
 HARVEY B. LEGGEE
 KENNETH B. HALL

The report is signed by Kenneth Paxton, Chairman, and all the members of the Committee. I move you, Sir, that this report be adopted. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report of the Committee moved and seconded. Will you comment?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Question is on the adoption of the report which is not to grant dispensation. All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

NOBLE KENNETH T. PAXTON: (*Reading*)

To the Officers and Representatives of the Imperial Council Session: Meeting in the Ninetieth Session New York City, July 20, 1964:

Your committee on Dispensations and Charters met July 18, 1964, 1 P.M. in Room 551, New York Hilton Hotel; pursuant to a call of the Imperial Recorder for the purpose of receiving, hearing, and acting on a petition of a number of Nobles in the State of California praying for the granting of Dispensation for a new Temple in the State of California, to be known as Ahlan Temple located in San Jose, Santa Clara County, California.

Your committee on Jurisdictional Lines pursuant to the By-Laws of the Imperial Council was also present during the entire hearing on the said petition, also present were Imperial High Priest and Prophet Orville F. Rush, Imperial First Ceremonial Master, Chester A. Hogan, Imperial Outer Guard, C. P. MacGregor, Past Imperial Potentate George E. Stringfellow, Honorable Walter G. Seeger, member of the Board of Trustees, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, Robert H. Fouke of Aahmes Temple, Oakland, member of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws. In addition, also present was a large delegation representing the Petitioners headed by Noble Royal Hodge Provisional Potentate, as well as a large delegation of Nobles from Islam Temple with Potentate and Past Potentate George Thomas. Al Malaikah and Tehran Temples were also represented.

Both sides were given ample opportunity to present their respective views both for and against the granting of Dispensation.

After full and free discussion, the meeting was closed and all retired to permit the Committee on Dispensations and Charters to commence deliberations on the proposed Dispensation. After serious discussion by our Committee a vote was taken, said vote being unanimous in opposition to the granting of said petition. Therefore, your Committee on Dispensations and Charters respectfully recommends that said

petition for the proposed Ahlan Temple, San Jose, Santa Clara County, California be not granted.

Signed:

KENNETH T. PAXTON, *Chairman*
 WILLIAM J. MILEHAM
 CLIFFORD W. MILLS
 LOUIS CHACKES
 VIRGIL F. FRIZZELL
 HARVEY B. LEGGEE
 KENNETH B. HALL

The report is signed by myself as Chairman and all members of the Committee. Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of this report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report of the Dispen-sations and Charters Committee. It has been moved and seconded. Will you comment?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The question is on the adoption of the report. All in favor. Opposed. I declare it carried.

The Chairman of the Membership Committee, Paul McCray, is he ready to report? (*No response*)

Is the Chairman of the Election and Tellers Committee ready to report?

NOBLE W. CLYDE OLIVER: Imperial Sirs and Representatives. It is with pleasure that I give you the result of the ballot on the proposed increase in per capita. There were a possible 736 votes. 673 actually voted. There was one spoiled ballot. Necessary for a choice, 491. The votes were distributed as follows: No, 215; Yes, 457.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the result of the ballot and the proposal is lost. I am sorry personally that for the sake of 50 cents that we will delve into the surplus. If that is the desire of the Nobles I am willing to abide by it. I brought this to your attention and I am willing to abide by your decision.

Is the Chairman of the Membership Committee now ready to report? No report, thank you.

Chairman of the Regalia Committee, J. Worth Baker, are you prepared to make a report? Not yet.

Is the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee ready to make a report?

The Committee on Mileage and Per Diem headed by Past Imperial Potentate Harvey Beffa has requested a meeting with him over in this corner at recess time which will be in about twenty minutes or so.

Nobles, it has been suggested that you be informed. Of course on this talk about increasing mileage and per diem there was no thought to increase that at the present time unless the per capita tax carried. I am sure you understood that. There was no proposal to bring those subjects up at this Session.

Nobles, I call for the report of our Imperial Treasurer at this time.

NOBLE LEONARD P. STEUART: Imperial Sir and Nobles. The report on the various institutions which have your money is in the annual report and has been mailed to each one of you for your comment and consideration.

Nobles, I would like to make a motion that as this report has been audited and approved that my report be approved. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion on the adoption of the Imperial Treasurer's report. All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

I call on the Imperial Recorder for his report.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir and Representatives. The report of the Imperial Recorder has been published in the book of reports which is in the hands of each member of the Imperial Council and has been audited. I move the adoption of the report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All those in favor of adopting the Imperial Recorder's report please say, "Aye." Opposed. Adopted.

J. Worth Baker, Regalia Committee, are you ready to report now?

NOBLE J. WORTH BAKER: Imperial Sir, Imperial Representatives. At this time there are some samples of summer fezzes being passed around among you and I have a report to make concerning that fez.

Your Committee on Regalia, Emblems and Jewels recommends the adoption of the straw fez, samples of which have been passed among you for your inspection. Last year the Imperial Divan recommended that the fez be shown to the Representatives for their approval or disapproval. The material used in this fez is Milan hemp which is imported from Switzerland. The manufacturer has guaranteed us that it is as resistive to rain, snow, and so on as the conventional Turkish fez which we now wear.

The Iowa Corporation Code specifies the exclusive head covering of the Order shall be the red Turkish fez with a black tassel. This would have to be an amendment adopted if we were to provide for adopting the summer weight fez.

I move you, Sir, the adoption of this report, that it be referred to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee for an amendment, or a deletion be made of the word "Turkish", in the event that you should later elect to adopt it.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I think that was a motion presented yesterday by the Representative of Ainad Temple and is before the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I would like to qualify right now this was not on account of this.

NOBLE RICHARD A. DOWLING: Do I understand if this resolution is adopted that type fez would be an alternate to the one we have? We would have the choice of two fezzes?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You would have the choice of a red fez without being a red Turkish fez, I think.

VOICES: No! No!

NOBLE RICHARD A. DOWLING: We can still retain our present type fez in addition to the new one?

NOBLE J. WORTH BAKER: Sir, the Committee discussed this quite thoroughly. There is nothing that compels you to wear this fez if it is accepted and adopted. It would be a fez that you might like to wear in warm weather if you wish. We are not going to compel anybody to wear this fez. (*Applause*)

We also have conjectured with the idea that particularly in the South where it is extremely warm that if one Unit, such as a band or a patrol, would like to adopt it for their use so it is uniform it is strictly up to the Temple's rights. We are only trying to make this available to you in case you want to use it.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Does that answer the Representative's question?

NOBLE RICHARD A. DOWLING: Thank you.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The question is on referring to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. It is referred to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

NOBLE R. E. BLOUNT: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, delegates to the convention—and Lou Chackes. Lou asked me to mention his name this morning and say something good—if I could. This is the atomic age but my good friend lives in the metallic age with gold in his teeth, silver in his hair and lead in his pants, and despite what he said about my Temple I want you to know he means well. Out in my country even a tumblebug means well. (*Laughter*)

Lou, we love you and if we didn't have a part of the loyal opposition when we come to one of these Shrine Sessions and you standing up and saying what you thought then we would be in bad shape. (*Applause*)

Seriously, I would like to tell you about your baby Temple and how far we have come and what we plan to do to continue to harvest Shriners over in East Texas. First of all, I stand here as a Representative, and the Representatives of the Imperial Council are gathered here because of one man, Galloway Calhoun. We have the Burns Institutes being built around this nation because of two men, Galloway Calhoun and Harvey Beffa, two fine wonderful Shriners to whom we shall ever be indebted.

Of course, we are also here because of the unselfishness of Karem Temple who saw fit to sponsor us, and since then the cooperation from Arabia, Hella and El Mina, and particularly El Karubah which is just over the State Line in Shreveport. These Brethren have given unselfishly of their time and talent to come over and stage some of the finest Ceremonials you have ever seen.

Here I would like to quote what Winston Churchill said, "Never have so many owed so much to so few." Because just a few people here, particularly Past Imperial Potentates Marshall Porter and George Klepper, and now our own Imperial Sir Harold Close, have done so much for the betterment and improvement and for the marvelous growth of Sharon Temple in East Texas. Of course, we can't overlook Jesse

White, Bill Knowlton and Virgil Frizzell, all the gentlemen on the Committee who first heard us.

Why has Sharon Temple experienced an unprecedented growth in East Texas? Nobles, it is because we have some enthusiasm over there and I don't mean just some but a whole lot. You realize we are not a year old until late this year. We are not yet officially a year old. But our Clown Unit at their own expense came to this Session, the first Unit we have brought to a Session, and they won the first two places in the Clown competition in this Imperial Session. (*Applause*)

In a world that is growing more complex and organizing itself into more intricate patterns the question is, how best can we sell the Shrine? Gentlemen, we are glad to share with you how we do it. We are now the tenth in Texas. Maskat is next on the list. We have been visiting with the Representatives from Maskat here trying to tell them how we have done it so they can stay out in front of us.

Our entire job is to sell the Shrine whether we do it as a Temple or the Shrine of North America.

Now it is magnificent to be a Shriner but it is more wonderful to be a Shrine citizen. Now Master Masons over in our State showed a net loss last year in the State of Texas. We showed a net loss throughout the State of Texas. The only area in the State of Texas that showed a gain was in the area comprising the fifteen counties of East Texas and it showed an increase of 315 in East Texas. Why? Because we had some people who saw the Shrine at work over there. This has come back to us. We even had children who came to their father and said, "Daddy, why aren't you wearing a red fez like the men in that parade?" We have had men start at the bottom of the line so they could come up to the Shrine and wear the red fez because of the influence they saw in the parade.

We had twelve Units in our Texas Shrine competition in Fort Worth. We had more Units than any other Temple in Texas, twelve Units in all. We are the only Temple in Texas that has ever entered two Shrine motor patrols in competition. We have a large one and a small one. All have been financed by the individuals. Sharon Temple has not been out one dime.

I will say this in closing. It is magnificent and commendable what we are doing with the seventeen Crippled Childrens Hospitals and now taking care of the burned children who cannot take care of themselves but, gentlemen, as a jurist who sees juvenile delinquency every day and realizes that 80 per cent of the crime last year was committed by our youth seventeen years or under, I will tell you it would be a magnificent situation if we had 870,000-odd Shriners throughout the country caring for the crippled minds and burned souls of these juvenile delinquents. Gentlemen, I feel in the Shrine we are carrying out what the Saviour said, "A new Commandment I give unto you that you love one another even as I love you." This I think we are doing. I think we must continue to do this.

It is with humility and hope that we of Sharon Temple come here to this Imperial Session. Humble because of the magnificent opportunity that these Imperial Officers, these Imperial Committees, have given us to establish a Temple in East Texas and with the hope that with the continued enthusiasm that we have generated over there now that the Shrine shall continue to prosper and grow and we hope set a pace for the Shrine of North America. Thank you, gentlemen. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, certainly I think we are all proud and inspired by the record of Sharon Temple, the cooperation of the Temples in Texas in forming this Temple and what they have accomplished in a short period of time. They are a credit to the State of Texas and to the Shrine. I compliment them and the Potentate of that baby Temple.

Now, Nobles, I want to point out to you on this recent vote there were 62 Representatives absent. The vote lost by 34 and many present did not have their ballots with them. This is unfortunate. I hope you will bring your ballots this afternoon in case we have another paper ballot vote. As I say, I am not concerned how you vote, but I would like to have these questions decided by everybody who is present.

Again, we have been trying to eliminate the procedure of a roll call even though it was announced but I am going to advise you that this afternoon after lunch there will be a roll call.

Nobles, it is close to twelve o'clock. I am going to recess this meeting now until one-thirty and again I point out to you that we are going to have to leave about three-thirty. I hope we can get enough business done so we can conclude by noon tomorrow. Luncheon is in the same room where you had it yesterday.

(The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S. recessed at 11:55 A.M. to reconvene in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel at 1:30 P.M.)

AFTERNOON SESSION

Thursday, July 23, 1964

One Forty O'clock P.M.

The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., reconvened in the Grand Ballroom, New York Hilton Hotel, New York City, New York, Thursday, July 23, 1964, at 1:40 P.M., Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close presiding.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, if we can come to order, please, and attempt to go on with the business of this Imperial Council. The Potentate of Palestine Temple has asked to be recognized at this time. I do recognize Illustrious Bert Clarke.

NOBLE BERTRAM CLARKE: Imperial Sir, Illustrious Sirs and fellow delegates. This morning I voted with the majority of you men on the question of increasing the per capita tax. Since then I have had talks with several people and I feel that I voted in the wrong direction. I now desire to move that the vote this morning be reconsidered. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, moved and seconded to reconsider the action taken this morning in regard to the per capita tax. This requires a majority vote.

NOBLE GERALD D. CARY: Imperial Sir, the gentleman who just asked for a recount on this, as a point of order I would like to have him prove that he was one of the affirmative voters. Under the law he has got to show that he is one.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, this man is a Shriner. Certainly he is a man of integrity as far as I am concerned. I am willing to take his word. (*Applause*)

Are you ready for the motion?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The question is on reconsideration.

VOICES: Roll Call! Roll Call!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Just a minute. The motion before the house is to reconsider the action taken this morning on the per capita tax. This requires a majority vote.

NOBLE JACK B. LEE: We are not voting on the tax itself?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: No. The tax will be brought before you again if you vote to reconsider.

All in favor of reconsideration say, "Aye." All opposed. Nobles, in the opinion of the Chair the Ayes have it. (*Applause*)

At this time the matter is now again before you and I am at this time going to ask Judge Jordan to take the Chair.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Imperial Sir and fellow Representatives. The motion just adopted brings back before this body the question as to whether or not the per capita tax will be increased by the sum of 50 cents. Now for myself in my capacity as one of you, merely a Representative from my Temple now in my sixteenth year at these conventions, I want to say to you with all the sincerity in my being that I have now and I have always had complete confidence and respect in the Imperial Officers, past and present, who are the Board of Directors of our two organizations, and I have that today. I have been told that the Imperial Divan is unanimously in favor of this increase.

You have heard that at the present time part of the expenses of the Iowa Corporation are being borne by the Colorado Corporation which operates our seventeen hospitals and soon will be operating twenty when the Burns Institutes are open. So I say to you that this insignificant, to me, sum of 50 cents a year, less than one cent a week, to be handled in whatever manner the individual Temples of the Shrine shall decide, should not in my opinion deter anyone from voting against it.

Now I want to address a few remarks to the members here today who are attending your first Imperial Session. You mostly are the Chief Rabbans of your Temples and you are here by virtue of the office you hold in your Temple. Now the first speaker this morning, if my recollection is correct, was the Representative from Ainad Temple. This is I don't know how many times that I have sat in these Sessions and listened to this Representative criticize, snipe at and carp against the Imperial Divan and the Officers of our two Corporations, and I want to go back a little in history. In 1950 and '51 Hubert Poteat, one of the great Past Imperial Potentates of this Order, chose as his theme the increase of the Hospital assessment from the sum of \$3 to \$5 because our income was not sufficient to maintain the daily operations of our Temples of Mercy, and to those of us who knew him best, both geographically and personally, firmly believed that Hubert Poteat shortened his life by ten years by a vigorous campaign—

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I rise to a point of personal privilege. (*Applause*)

VOICES: Right! Right!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: What is your point?

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: My point is that my character is being publicly assailed by somebody who knows the truth, who knows decency and who knows law and for the moment seems to be forgetting it in the bitterness of his desire to get something passed that was voted on and there is the voice of dismay and defeat taking a whack at somebody's character. (*Applause*)

I move that the speaker now be allowed to continue in-order.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I have not heard anybody mentioned here except the fact that the speaker did mention some remarks about the per capita tax this morning. I haven't heard anybody's character assailed.

VOICES: No! No!

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: He mentioned the Representative from Ainad Temple. I am the man whose character was assailed. If not, who was the man he referred to?

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: At the convention in New York in 1951 the Representative from Ainad opposed this resolution and it was subsequently passed—

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I rise to a point of order. That is not the subject that the speaker is speaking to. Will not the presiding officer take the podium? I want a ruling on my point of order.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I am not going to mention you any more. I am through talking about the '51 convention.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: You are suddenly through but I am not through. I want it ruled that you are out of order. Do you mind on the point of order? You were out of order.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I don't think so but I will take your word for it.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Well, I hope you will take my word on other truths.

VOICE: We can't hear.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I just said I hope you will take my word on other truths.

VOICES: Sit down! Sit down!

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: There is an old saying, the first hundred years are the hardest.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I will say this—

NOBLE HOWARD COWAN: Imperial Sir, may I inquire what is the question before the Council?

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The question is whether we shall increase the per capita tax by 50 cents.

NOBLE HOWARD COWAN: May we proceed in order then?

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Well, I will apologize then. I am trying my best to give a factual account to the 150 men here this morning who have never before attended one of these conventions. If there is objection I will pursue that no further.

NOBLE HOWARD COWAN: Thank you, Sir.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I will pursue that no further.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Mr. Chairman, may I say that I wish you to preside.

May I say, Nobles, there are a lot of voices in the balcony who are not Representatives. For that reason I do think when we come to a vote that it be a roll call vote so that everybody is on record.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Now, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. To me I think there are but two points. Point No. 1, is it necessary to increase the per capita tax in order that the Iowa Corporation may operate in the black? And secondly, is the requested increase of 50 cents a year, less than one cent a week, a fair, equitable and necessary amount to accomplish the result desired by point No. 1. In my opinion I think the answer to both of those points is yes and yes. Thank you. *(Applause)*

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I recognize the Potentate of Lu Lu Temple.

NOBLE ROBERT W. DIETRICH: Imperial Sir and Imperial Officers. In view of the confusion and the lack of information presented to this convention in reference to the increase of our per capita tax I move the incoming Imperial Sir to appoint a Committee to prepare the necessary information for presentation at our next session in Washington, D. C., and in the meantime—

VOICES: No! No!

NOBLE ROBERT W. DIETRICH: —if any deficit exists—

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: There is a motion before the house.

NOBLE ROBERT W. DIETRICH: Am I out of order?

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Imperial Sir and Representatives. With the vote to reconsider there is now a motion on the floor and it will have to be discussed and voted on before any other motion can be entertained or heard.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Pardon me—

VOICES: Question! Question!

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: A ruling has been made and I question the ruling.

NOBLE WALTER C. GUY: Imperial Sir and Nobles. This is the first time in eight years that I have raised my voice from this platform on a controversial question.

Our beloved Harold Lloyd found it necessary, because of his present position as Chairman of the Board of Trustees, to resign his position as Chairman of the Wills, Bequests and Gifts Committee. Previous to his resignation the speaker at the request of Past Imperial George Mattison has served for the past three years as Executive Secretary for that Committee, and now the present Imperial Potentate has asked him, and he has consented, to serve as the Chairman of that Committee.

Do you realize that the money we are, in a dignified manner, seeking to obtain as wills and bequests in favor of our little patients, is being used for administrative purposes and could be questioned by Internal Revenue as to its tax exempt status? Do you realize that our wills and bequests represent 46.8 per cent of the total

revenue of the Colorado Corporation? Do you realize that a little lousy \$5 that you and I pay as our Hospital assessment represents less than 10 per cent of the operating cost of your Hospitals, that it represents less than one-fourth of the current budget for Hospital operation? Do you realize that the \$5 represents 1.3 cents per day to be divided among the current seventeen orthopedic hospitals and to be augmented by three more Burns institutes?

I am becoming seriously concerned about the efforts that a group of dedicated men are exerting to maintain these bequests on a level within increasing costs. I am becoming discouraged and am in need of a little encouragement on your part to carry on. You are the stepping stone. You and your Temple Chairmen are the stepping stone between the public from which the majority of your Hospital funds come from non-Shriners. You are the stepping stone between yourselves and the Nobility which you represent. And if there is a break in that chain by your action then all ideals stop where the chain is broken. I hope that you will review this problem with great concern and that you will give it conservative, sane, sensible, quiet thinking in your own mind as to the thought I am trying to express to you. I need your encouragement as your Chairman of your Wills, Bequests and Gifts Committee. Thank you so much for your attention. *(Applause)*

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The Chair is advised that Illustrious Jack Lee, Potentate of Alzafar Temple, desires to speak.

NOBLE JACK B. LEE: Imperial Potentate, Imperial Potentate-elect, Past Imperial Potentates, members of the Imperial Divan, Illustrious Potentates, fellow Representatives. I move that the motion under consideration be amended, substituting \$1 instead of \$1.10 in the appropriate subsections, thus increasing the per capita tax 40 cents instead of 50 cents per year.

VOICES: No! No!

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, the Chair rules that at the present time this motion is out of order.

My apologies to Imperial Sir Marshall Porter. He "snuk" up behind me, as we say down in my country, and I now turn the microphone over to Judge Porter. *(Applause)*

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: Imperial Sir and Representatives. I do not want to participate in the debate about the increase proposed in the per capita tax. A statement was made in the course of this discussion, however, which, if left in the record, would someday lead to a very misleading conclusion to a person honestly looking over our activity.

We have two corporations. Both of them function in our headquarters in Chicago which was bought with the money belonging to the fraternal corporation. Both have grown. The work of the hospitals has grown mightily in administrative costs and in the handling of our large endowment fund of some \$200 million. The division of cost of the operation there has been a matter of concern to the Trustees and to the Divan for years. It was particularly a matter of concern to Galloway Calhoun. The cost of administering the head office management and the funds—I am not talking about the hospitals—in the Colorado Corporation went up very fast. It was felt that some of these should be borne out of the Colorado Corporation, out of its revenue from you, \$5.

Nobody wanted to take the responsibility for making that decision so in my administration we called in Haskins & Sells at the suggestion of Mr. Beffa, who knew them well. They are a highly rated accounting firm. We asked them to make a survey of our staff and the operations in the Chicago office and to allocate the cost as between the corporations on the basis of that survey, and that was done.

So I want to correct the impression that was left by the statement honestly but mistakenly made that we were eating the children's funds. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The Chair is advised that Illustrious Roy Reynolds, Potentate of El Bekal Temple desires to speak.

NOBLE ROY T. REYNOLDS: I am from one of the small Temples and after the discussion this morning one of the Nobles discussed his Temple with a membership of something under 4,000, and what it was costing the Imperial Council for them to be here today. It is my suggestion that we hear from some of the larger Temples and I would like at this time to put our mother Temple on the spot and hear from our Mother Temple and their Potentate from Al Malaikah Temple.

NOBLE MARK T. GATES: Imperial Sir, members of the Imperial Divan and Imperial Representatives all. This is like being substituted without being warmed up. I wonder if this discussion is not elementary as concerned with each of us as Shriners. I would like to ask a question, what became of the campaign for the nickel cigar? I want to know how many of you smoke nickel cigars? I want to talk to you about the nickel beer. Do you remember the nickel beer? I bought a draught beer down here and it is 85 cents. Do you remember the 10 cent cut of pie? Read it on the menu down here and it is 45 cents.

How long has it been since we have had a raise in per capita tax? Think it over. Are we going to split hairs in an organization that throughout the world is a first-class organization for first-class Shriners only, or are we attempting in this attempt to discredit our Imperial Officers? Each of us voted for these men. They have made their recommendation to us. Can we do anything else than support them? If we are going to do less we repudiate them.

Let's go to the question of cost. Who is it going to cost the most? You fellows are not influenced by the mere bigness, the size of a Temple. This is nearly \$15,000 in Al Malaikah's budget. You say \$15,000 doesn't mean anything to us. It means \$15,000 to Al Malaikah and every dollar is felt in Al Malaikah.

Men, the issue today is, are we going to support our Imperial Officers? Are we going to be split-hair-deciders or are we going to be first-class Shriners? Thank you. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Are there any other Nobles who desire to speak on this question?

NOBLE HAROLD H. KASTNER: Move for the question. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The question is called for. The question is, shall the per capita tax be increased by 50 cents. I am authorized by the Imperial Potentate to say to you that on this vote he is calling for a roll call vote. (*Applause*)

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Nobles, on the roll call vote I will call the name of the Temple. I will call the last name of the Representative. Each Representative will answer yes or no.

(The roll call vote by the Imperial Recorder resulted as follows:)

Aad Temple, Duluth, Minnesota: George A. Borgeson, yes; Raymond H. Erickson, yes; Palmer H. Hegvold, yes; James P. Crawford, yes.

Aahmes Temple, Oakland, California: Herman L. Engelhardt, yes; John G. Kelly, yes; Fred E. Anderson, yes; William G. MacKay, yes; Robert H. Fouke, yes.

Abba Temple, Mobile, Alabama: Jewell Boone, yes; Ralph H. Thurman, yes; J. S. "Bud" Womack, Jr., yes; Thomas E. Hoiles, yes.

Abdallah Temple, Kansas City, Kansas: Don V. Williams, yes; Donald E. Schulze, yes; Howard O. Jobes, yes; John W. Mullinix, yes.

Abou Ben Adhem Temple, Springfield, Missouri: W. Harold Owen, yes; Edmund C. Forehand, yes; B. J. Hart, yes; Dru D. Salveter, yes.

Abou Saad Temple, Panama Canal Zone: Richard G. Taylor, yes; Ralph K. Frangioni, yes; William H. Munyon, yes; Harland V. Howard, yes; Robert T. Russell, yes.

Abu Bekr Temple, Sioux City, Iowa: Richard Dove, yes; Ralph Heaton, yes; Robert Whiteside, yes; Denver Krall, yes.

Acca Temple, Richmond, Virginia: Remmie L. Arnold, Sr., yes; Joe T. Mizell, Jr., yes; Archer B. Gay, yes; William C. Seibert, yes; Harry J. Brown, yes; William W. Hitchens, yes.

Affi Temple, Tacoma, Washington: Chester A. Hogan, yes; Harold W. Meyer, yes; Walter Hogan, yes; John D. Cochran, yes; Cecil B. Walrath, yes.

Ahmed Temple, Marquette, Michigan: Kenneth E. Bakkum, yes; Harry W. Gjellesten, yes; Robert L. Bouschor, yes; Brodie C. Weston, yes.

Ainad Temple, East St. Louis, Illinois: Louis Chackes, yes; Wyatt Rawlings, yes; Francis D. Conner, yes; Lloyd E. Turnbull, yes; Jesse C. Nichols, Jr., yes.

Akdar Temple, Tulsa, Oklahoma: Robert T. Gow, yes; B. W. Vetter, yes; Howard Cowan, no; Charles H. Rosenberger, yes; E. Tom Williams, yes; Perry W. Ward, yes.

Aladdin Temple, Columbus, Ohio: Earl J. Brothers, yes; Homer C. Helser, yes; Benjamin L. Collins, yes; Clarence W. England, yes.

Al Azhar Temple, Calgary, Alberta: Marshall M. Porter, no; W. Ralph Pepper, yes; S. J. Parkinson, yes; E. J. "Ted" Brookes, no; Ralph Nelson, yes.

Al Bahr Temple, San Diego, California: Robert "Bud" James, yes; George E. Bryans, yes; Harold M. Long, yes; Delavan J. Dickson, yes.

Al Bedoo Temple, Billings, Montana: Carl A. Rahn, yes; L. David Coon, yes; L. Wayne Hageman, yes; Harold J. Fraser, yes; Fred M. Bourke, yes.

Alcazar Temple, Montgomery, Alabama: Vernon K. Shriner, no; William E. Goodwin, no; Stephen P. Riales, no; R. Pep Powell, no.

Al Chymia Temple, Memphis, Tennessee: George M. Klepper, yes; John B. Vesey, yes; Richard S. Guenther, yes; George R. Holley, yes; Isaac M. Bilsky, yes; Rufus E. Craven, yes.

Alee Temple, Savannah, Georgia: George E. Oliver, yes; J. Curtis Lewis, Jr., yes; J. H. Jarrott, Jr., yes; Rochell B. Davis, yes.

Aleppo Temple, Boston, Massachusetts: Edgar L. Turner, yes; Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., absent; Willard P. Lombard, yes; Harvey B. Leggee, yes; Clarence G. Young, yes; William A. Odell, yes; Carl R. MacKenney, yes; Herbert N. Faulkner, yes.

Algeria Temple, Helena, Montana: William K. Converse, yes; John C. Hawke, yes; John Zoller, yes; Roy O. Johnson, yes; Roy W. Page, yes.

Alhambra Temple, Chattanooga, Tennessee: Harold E. Brown, yes; David B. Soloff, yes; Robert E. Cooper, yes; C. L. Faulkner, yes.

Ali Ghan Temple, Cumberland, Maryland: C. William Hetzer, yes; J. Wallace Close, yes; Woodward D. Pealer, yes; Winfield H. Adam, yes.

Al Kader Temple, Portland, Oregon: Lyle W. Hammack, yes; George W. McMurphy, yes; W. W. Youngson, Jr., yes; Kenneth B. Hall, yes.

Al Kaly Temple, Pueblo, Colorado: Harold Florman, yes; W. F. Griffin, yes; Harry A. Taylor, yes; Kenneth J. Edwards, Jr., yes.

Al Koran Temple, Cleveland, Ohio: Charles G. White, yes; Clarke H. Joy, yes; John T. Wolfenden, yes; Henry D. Thomas, yes; Paul A. Chevallard, yes.

Al Malaikah Temple, Los Angeles, California: C. P. MacGregor, yes; Harold Lloyd, yes; Mark T. Gates, yes; John Rounsavelle, yes; Elmer P. Bromley, yes; Roger E. Murdock, yes.

Almas Temple, Washington, D. C.: Leonard P. Steuart, yes; Frederick Wilken, yes; Howard P. Foley, yes; William J. Mileham, yes; Bernard D. Cooper, yes; William J. Liverman, yes; Harry Martens, Jr., yes.

Al Menah Temple, Nashville, Tennessee: Jack Norman, Jr., yes; Albert G. Bennett, yes; Clyde R. Watson, yes; John D. Whalley, yes.

Aloha Temple, Honolulu, Hawaii: William A. Boyan, yes; Donald J. Crockett, yes; Darrell H. Puckett, yes; Richard H. Rice, yes.

Al Sinah Temple, Macon, Georgia: Nat W. Massey, yes; James S. Jones, yes; Joe A. Witherington, yes; Gordon E. Ellington, yes.

Alzafar Temple, San Antonio, Texas: Jack B. Lee, yes; Robert B. O'Connor, yes; Fred W. Smith, Jr., yes; William C. Young, yes.

Anah Temple, Bangor, Maine: Sheldon F. Goldthwait, yes; Henry P. Cushman, yes; Roy U. Sinclair, yes; Frederic E. Perkins, yes.

Anezeh Temple, Mexico City, Mexico: Barney W. Collins, yes; Emilio D'Acosta, yes; Roderick H. Tofflemire, yes; J. Weldon Thomas, yes; J. R. (Tom) Tomlinson, yes.

Ansar Temple, Springfield, Illinois: G. Wilbur Bell, no; William R. Schnirring, Jr., no; Joseph B. Dudley, no; Charles W. Brosch, Jr., no.

Antioch Temple, Dayton, Ohio: E. Raymond Arn, absent; Kenneth D. Arn, yes; Loy D. Johnston, yes; Roland E. St. John, yes.

Arab Temple, Topeka, Kansas: Roy W. Jaquith, yes; L. Keith Murry, yes; Lloyd E. Cobb, yes; J. Lewis Coffelt, yes.

Arabia Temple, Houston, Texas: Paul A. Nelson, yes; Miles Strickland, yes; Lloyd L. Brightman, yes; Carl T. Denson, Jr., yes.

Ararat Temple, Kansas City, Missouri: George M. Saunders, yes; W. Baker Browning, yes; Edward L. Bittner, no; Harry C. Newcomer, Jr., yes; Richard Farris, no.

Bagdad Temple, Butte, Montana: Alfred O. Olsen, yes; A. Kendrick Smith, yes; Walter S. Jorgensen, yes; E. George Craine, yes.

Bahia Temple, Orlando, Florida: Harold H. Kastner, yes; Fred B. Turner, yes; J. D. Hill, yes; Charles V. Snapp, Jr., yes.

Ballut Abyad Temple, Albuquerque, New Mexico: Charles H. Lembke, yes; Everett M. Grantham, yes; Paul C. Sackett, yes; A. Earl Bullis, yes; Harry R. Eaves, yes.

Bedouin Temple, Muskogee, Oklahoma: E. E. (Bob) Easton, yes; Eddie Parker, yes; L. H. Hammond, yes; Ora W. Lamb, yes.

Bekdash Temple, Concord, New Hampshire: E. Lawrence Bulfinch, yes; William B. Artz, yes; Charles H. Gay, absent; Ralph W. Smith, yes; Alexander J. LeLoup, yes.

Ben Ali Temple, Sacramento, California: Ward R. Sterling, yes; John N. Clark, yes; Gerald C. McKinley, yes; Charles E. Desenfants, yes.

Ben Hur Temple, Austin, Texas: Marshall V. Turner, yes; B. Rex Shields, yes; J. T. Browning, yes; J. Carroll Hinsley, no.

Beni Kedem Temple, Charleston, West Virginia: Guy N. Van Horn, absent; Graves H. Trumbo, yes; Harry B. Lambert, no; Virgil F. Frizzell, yes; Dewey E. S. Kuhns, yes.

Boumi Temple, Baltimore, Maryland: George J. Murphy, yes; George A. Bratt, Jr., no; G. Maxwell Armor, Jr., yes; Robert A. Phelps, yes.

Cairo Temple, Rutland, Vermont: Peter Val Preda, yes; J. Malcolm Williams, yes; Hugo W. Melen, yes; Edward S. Pike, yes.

Calam Temple, Lewiston, Idaho: J. Harley Ferris, yes; Alton T. Kauffman, yes; Glenn W. Henderson, yes; Elmer E. Nelson, yes.

Crescent Temple, Trenton, New Jersey: George E. Stringfellow, yes; Arthur E. Armitage, Sr., no; Edward J. Scudder, no; Nelson B. Hansbury, Jr., no; Edmund D. Bowman, no; Arthur E. Armitage, Jr., no; Walter S. Jeffries, Jr., no.

Cyprus Temple, Albany, New York: Fred A. Nicholson, no; Robert W. Gale, no; Erwin W. Milstrey, Sr., yes; Randall W. Vaughn, yes; Arthur L. Royael, yes.

Damascus Temple, Rochester, New York: A. Elmer Raithel, yes; W. Marvin Rowe, yes; Harley C. Smith, yes; Charles B. Benedict, yes; O. Deane Erwood, yes.

Egypt Temple, Tampa, Florida: R. S. Lang, yes; W. Bruce Kerr, yes; Raleigh W. Milian, yes; Robert R. Hicks, yes.

El Bekal Temple, Long Beach, California: Roy T. Reynolds, yes; Leroy H. Cragger, yes; H. C. "Hal" LeManquais, yes; Roy A. Hopkins, yes.

Elf Khurafeh Temple, Saginaw, Michigan: Dale W. Williams, yes; Charles A. McLeod, Jr., yes; Russell H. Smith, yes; Marc Stern, yes.

El Hasa Temple, Ashland, Kentucky: Bill E. Barnett, no; Douglas P. Roberts, no; Delbert Rowe, no; Edward Hubbs, no.

El Jebel Temple, Denver, Colorado: Lewis S. Parsons, yes; Richard H. Martin, yes; Charles T. Gore, yes; Arthur W. Hiner, Jr., yes; Mortie E. Blunn, yes.

El Kahir Temple, Cedar Rapids, Iowa: Malcolm M. Thompson, absent; T. Hubert DeWees, yes; Donald J. Fishel, yes; Richard F. Brisbin, yes; Lawrence V. Sibert, yes.

El Kalah Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah: Lincoln G. Kelly, yes; Elmer A. Vail, yes; Maurice P. Greffoz, yes; Gail F. Bywater, yes; C. Leander Prisk, yes.

El Karubah Temple, Shreveport, Louisiana: John A. Walden, yes; Fred W. Hoffman, yes; M. A. Ehrhardt, yes; Wayne W. Gray, yes; E. D. (Ed) Clark, yes.

El Katif Temple, Spokane, Washington: Elmer C. Morlan, no; Arnold E. Carle, no; Roy J. Johnson, no; Rudy E. Vida, no.

El Korah Temple, Boise, Idaho: J. Harry Hopffgarten, yes; Herbert H. Eberle, yes; Gayle L. McAtee, yes; Wallace A. Wilcox, yes; Stanley J. Jones, yes.

El Maida Temple, El Paso, Texas: Frankie L. Cochran, yes; Henry L. Taylor, yes; Franklin C. Quinn, yes; W. Fred Casey, yes.

El Mina Temple, Galveston, Texas: Munger T. Ball, yes; Archie M. Crow, Jr., yes; Henry G. Morgan, yes; O. C. Norris, yes; John H. Terry, yes.

El Riad Temple, Sioux Falls, South Dakota: Albert E. Egger, no; Forrest W. Conger, no; Wendell C. Fritz, no; George W. Elmen, no.

El Zagal Temple, Fargo, North Dakota: Glen F. Nelson, no; Edward V. Lahr, Jr., no; Frank Hull, no; George V. Ells, no.

El Zaribah Temple, Phoenix, Arizona: William R. Schnorr, yes; Jesse W. Angle, yes; George Beeler, yes; John W. Harmon, yes.

Gizeh Temple, Vancouver, B. C.: C. Raymond Bowell, yes; E. Clayton Goodman, yes; Jack M. Straight, yes; Arthur Hamilton, yes.

Hadi Temple, Evansville, Indiana: Henry B. Struby, absent; William C. Standring, yes; Edgar L. Schroer, yes; Abe L. Krauss, Jr., yes; C. Ray Reynolds, yes.

Hamasa Temple, Meridian, Mississippi: Herman A. Shields, yes; Rudolph A. Posey, yes; Martin L. Gunn, yes; James T. Singley, yes.

Hasan Temple, Albany, Georgia: Rufus C. Johnson, yes; H. M. Barry, yes; Ruter E. Coleman, yes; Joe C. Howell, yes.

Hejaz Temple, Greenville, South Carolina: Geo. W. Phillips, yes; J. E. Bauknight, Jr., yes; B. Jack Foster, yes; Walter L. Miller, Jr., yes.

Hella Temple, Dallas, Texas: Virgil M. Payne, Jr., yes; Leon V. Shaw, yes; John McKee, yes; Dean Gauldin, yes.

Hillah Temple, Ashland, Oregon: Lloyd H. Griggs, yes; John E. Blair, yes; George V. Dugan, yes; Lyndell W. Newbry, yes.

India Temple, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma: Leslie H. Swan, absent; William Van Stuck, yes; Phil C. Bennett, yes; Hal S. Whitten, yes; Robt. F. Emanuel, yes.

Irem Temple, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania: Hopkin T. Rowlands, yes; Charles F. Cox, yes; William L. Hibbard, yes; Stewart Jones, yes.

Isis Temple, Salina, Kansas: Vernon A. Webster, no; John M. Molstad, no; William C. Exline, no; Herbert N. Holland, no.

Islam Temple, San Francisco, California: William H. Woodfield, absent; Ernest C. Hueter, yes; Lowell E. Braden, yes; Paul R. Manning, yes; George P. Thomas, yes; Walter R. Castro, Jr., yes.

Ismailia Temple, Buffalo, New York: Henry P. Bronkie, yes; Jerome S. Stinson, yes; Henry Z. Lang, Jr., yes; James D. Seatter, yes; Harry W. Hutton, yes.

Jaffa Temple, Altoona, Pennsylvania: A. Othello Curtis, no; Thomas M. Treese, no; James F. Bragg, no; Dwight R. Helsel, no.

Jerusalem Temple, New Orleans, Louisiana: Earl H. Smith, no; Richard A. Dowling, no; Michel Caplan, no; Vincent Maniscalco, no.

Kaaba Temple, Davenport, Iowa: Clarence A. Lay, yes; Earl R. Ackerman, yes; Raymond F. Knecht, yes; William W. Brubaker, yes; Paul B. McCray, yes.

Kalif Temple, Sheridan, Wyoming: Joseph D. Pelesky, yes; Carl G. Ralston, yes; G. Ray Coulson, yes; William J. Donnelly, yes.

Kalurah Temple, Binghamton, New York: L. Pierce Hotchkiss, yes; Creighton E. Wray, yes; Lynn N. Peterson, yes; J. Raymond Price, yes.

Karem Temple, Waco, Texas: William F. Quebe, yes; John R. Rogers, yes; Arthur J. Williams, Jr., yes; A. C. Hicks, yes; Bill R. Baggett, yes.

Karnak Temple, Montreal, Quebec: John W. Tolson, yes; Walter E. Montgomery, yes; Robert M. McCarrell, yes; J. Fraser Ritchie, yes.

Kazim Temple, Roanoke, Virginia: William C. Vaughan, no; Thomas S. Fox, no; Orvin M. Miles, no; Aubrey B. Burton, no.

Kem Temple, Grand Forks, North Dakota: Jerome S. Lamont, no; L. Yale Gooden, no; Marvin D. Hoffman, yes; Robert K. Dodson, no.

Kena Temple, Alexandria, Virginia: Orville F. Rush, yes; Edward E. Buckley, no; John E. Posey, no; Hyman Brenner, no; Layton S. Sorber, absent.

Kerak Temple, Reno, Nevada: Andre J. Stienne, yes; Lester A. Conklin, yes; Edward Pine, yes; Merwyn H. Brown, yes.

Kerbela Temple, Knoxville, Tennessee: Robert H. Bailey, yes; Thomas W. McDowell, yes; Paul R. Phelps, yes; Avery Norris, yes.

Khartum Temple, Winnipeg, Man., Canada: James A. Ogden, no; Lloyd D. McPhail, no; Sydney W. Foreman, no; Michael A. Petlow, no.

Khedive Temple, Norfolk, Virginia: Aubrey G. Graham, yes; Melvin T. Blassingham, yes; Jerry T. Batts, Jr., yes; Bernard C. Murden, yes; Raymond L. Woodall, yes; Jesse A. White, yes.

Khiva Temple, Amarillo, Texas: C. A. (Bill) Holmes, yes; John M. Heket, yes; J. Henry Sears, yes; Al Whitaker, yes.

Kismet Temple, Brooklyn, New York: William B. Falconer, no; William Cresswell, absent; George A. Harken, no; John F. Burlein, no; Robert S. MacCormack, no; Frederick L. Kopff, no.

Kora Temple, Lewiston, Maine: Carl M. Stilphen, yes; Paul L. Powers, yes; Walter L. Emerson, Jr., yes; Francis W. McCurtain, yes.

Korein Temple, Rawlins, Wyoming: S. Ken Briggs, yes; Hilliard Ridgely, yes; L. E. "Barney" Harris, yes; Charlie C. Kidd, yes; Douglas M. Dinsmore, yes.

Kosair Temple, Louisville, Kentucky: Geo. F. Sengel, no; David R. Bass, yes; J. Miles Pound, yes; O. F. Barnette, yes; E. Skiles Jones, yes.

Lu Lu Temple, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: Robert W. Dietrich, no; Jacques H. Fox, no; Stanley Czamecki, no; Harold L. Gerringer, no.

Luxor Temple, St. John, New Brunswick: Hazen T. Dykeman, yes; Leslie J. Brewer, yes; John B. Flewelling, yes.

Mahi Temple, Miami, Florida: Malcolm C. McAllister, absent; Vernon C. Holloway, yes; Joseph H. Crane, yes; I. D. Smith, yes.

Maskat Temple, Wichita Falls, Texas: W. P. Howle, no; H. M. Butler, no; C. A. Muehlberger, no; W. A. Spoons, no.

Mecca Temple, New York, New York: Alfred J. Cawse, Jr., no; Irving L. Mermer, no; Leo Spiegel, no; Walter A. DeLamater, no.

Media Temple, Watertown, New York: Kenyon A. Plumptre, yes; John M. Langford, yes; Douglas J. Berry, yes; John C. Squires, yes.

Medinah Temple, Chicago, Illinois: Thomas F. Seay, yes; William M. Weisenborn, yes; Yngvar Brynildssen, yes; Albin R. Anderson, yes; Walter H. Vartan, yes.

Melha Temple, Springfield, Massachusetts: Harold E. Kjoller, yes; Carl B. Martin, Jr., yes; H. Edward Baker, yes; Frederick W. DeWitt, yes.

Midian Temple, Wichita, Kansas: Carl L. Buck, yes; Carl B. Richardson, yes; Jack H. Cozine, yes; Kenneth W. Bumgarner, yes.

Mirza Temple, Pittsburg, Kansas: Wm. H. Lewark, no; Wm. H. Shute, no; W. Howard Millington, yes; Norman Wilkinson, yes.

Mizpah Temple, Fort Wayne, Indiana: Carl H. Pierson, yes; J. Henry Curdes, yes; W. Don White, yes; Frank O. Rarick, yes; Daniel I. Weikel, yes; Joseph W. Fuzy, Jr., yes.

Mocha Temple, London, Ontario: F. Thomas Vallance, no; John A. Irvine, absent; Frank H. Butcher, no; Harold B. Porter, yes.

Mohammed Temple, Peoria, Illinois: M. Carroll Baymiller, no; C. Bonner Triebel, no; Charles Hastings, yes; Leonard B. Potter, yes.

Moila Temple, St. Joseph, Missouri: Everett H. Trunk, yes; W. Edgar Chatham, yes; Fred J. Hoffman, yes; Milton W. Taylor, yes; Kenneth L. McNeal, yes.

Moolah Temple, St. Louis, Missouri: Harvey A. Beffa, yes; George C. Foster, yes; Arch R. McEwen, yes; Robert W. Conradi, yes; Alfred J. Meyer, yes; Stanley Wurtz, yes.

Morocco Temple, Jacksonville, Florida: Thomas E. Taylor, yes; Frank Winchell, yes; Warren L. Jones, yes; J. Dillon Kennedy, yes.

Moslah Temple, Fort Worth, Texas: Earnest E. Sanders, yes; Roy J. Brooks, yes; John C. Sikes, yes; C. Victor Thornton, yes.

Moslem Temple, Detroit, Michigan: Charles E. Merrill, yes; Thomas D. Van Dine, absent; Alex Acey, yes; R. Harold Ling, yes; William H. Polkinghorn, yes; Joseph E. Ross, yes.

Mount Sinai Temple, Montpelier, Vermont: Raymond Smith, yes; Leland F. Gray, yes; Wendell L. Johnston, yes; Huntress T. Clark, yes.

Murat Temple, Indianapolis, Indiana: J. Worth Baker, yes; Alex M. Clark, yes; Charles H. Ellis, yes; Karl L. Friedrichs, yes; Edwin K. Steers, yes.

Naja Temple, Deadwood, South Dakota: Gerald D. Crary, no; Elvin E. Wick, yes; Leonard T. Van Syoc, yes; Robert C. Swanson, yes; Carl H. Kubler, yes.

Nemesis Temple, Parkersburg, West Virginia: C. Edgar Pratt, yes; Harry G. Weaver, yes; Harry Grossman, yes; Eugene M. Estep, yes.

Nile Temple, Seattle, Washington: Arthur T. Bateman, yes; William E. Parker, yes; Ford Q. Elvidge, yes; Ralph C. Olson, yes.

Nur Temple, Wilmington, Delaware: Elbert N. Carvel, yes; Claude A. Brittingham, yes; Frederic G. Krapf, Jr., yes; James L. Whaley, yes.

Oasis Temple, Charlotte, North Carolina: J. B. Whittington, yes; W. Fleming Talman, yes; Harry M. Bryant, yes; J. Y. Jordan, Jr., yes; H. Ed Austin, yes.

Oleika Temple, Lexington, Kentucky: Fred Bryant, yes; Edmund H. Bouton, yes; Earl R. McDaniel, no; Kenneth V. O'Neal, no; Robert J. Turley, no.

Omar Temple, Charleston, South Carolina: A. J. M. Wannamaker, yes; D. Dixon Lee, yes; Robert S. Reese, yes; John W. Turner, yes.

Orak Temple, Hammond, Indiana: N. Reed Merriam, yes; Walter Thornton, yes; Raymond F. Fox, Jr., yes; Walter A. MacNary, yes.

Oriental Temple, Troy, New York: Orville G. Gowie, no; Frederick G. Geiger, no; George E. Fake, no; George C. Snare, no.

Osiris Temple, Wheeling, West Virginia: Rollin P. Johnson, yes; Walter C. Polley, yes; Leonard E. Van Dyne, yes; William E. Smith, yes.

Osman Temple, St. Paul, Minnesota: Walter G. Seeger, yes; Tom S. Rishworth, absent; Fred T. Christensen, yes; John H. Hanna, no; Kenneth O. Johnson, yes; Sigurd A. Bertelsen, yes.

Palestine Temple, Cranston, Rhode Island: Bertram Clarke, yes; William F. Raymond, yes; Edward L. Freeman, Jr., yes; Alvin R. Kulz, yes.

Philae Temple, Halifax, N. S.: Sinclair A. Myers, yes; R. M. Barrett, yes; R. F. Horne, yes.

Pyramid Temple, Bridgeport, Connecticut: Clifford W. Mills, no; James H. Watt, no; Louis S. Orsage, no; André M. Racine, no.

Rajah Temple, Reading, Pennsylvania: George L. Markley, no; J. Richard Weaver, no; George S. Steinmetz, no; Roland D. Haas, no.

Rameses Temple, Toronto, Ont., Canada: Percy C. Bolton, yes; Ken Coope, yes; Charles M. Emmett, no; Fred G. McBrien, yes.

Rizpah Temple, Madisonville, Kentucky: Ben M. Strother, yes; Joel G. Hurley, yes; S. Ernest Parrish, yes; Wylie E. Jones, yes.

Sahara Temple, Pine Bluff, Arkansas: Edward W. Brockman, Jr., yes; James F. McLellan, Jr., yes; Morlan F. Prickett, yes; W. Ellis Arnold, yes.

Salaam Temple, Newark 8, New Jersey: Thomas O. Conklin, yes; Roger F. Eyers, yes; Palmer D. Burde, yes; Jacob A. Wingerter, yes.

Saladin Temple, Grand Rapids, Michigan: Henry C. Martens, yes; John J. Straayer, yes; Eugene G. Slep, yes; Edward L. Howard, yes.

Scimitar Temple, Little Rock, Arkansas: Walter C. Guy, yes; Quinn Glover, yes; R. E. (Jack) Buch, yes; Robt. R. Stair, yes; Paul H. Dixon, yes; J. Harry Leggett, yes.

Sesostris Temple, Lincoln, Nebraska: Robert P. Stephens, yes; Merle M. Hale, yes; Sidney S. Anderson, yes; Homer T. "Pat" Burt, yes.

Sharon Temple, Tyler, Texas: R. E. "Peppy" Blount, yes; Eugene W. Oliver, yes; H. E. Jenkins, yes; H. H. Spragins, yes.

Sphinx Temple, Hartford, Connecticut: Harold C. Close, yes; Emory R. Morse, yes; Frederick W. Becher, yes; Stanley E. Peterson, yes; James A. Gray, yes.

Sudan Temple, New Bern, North Carolina: Otis M. Banks, yes; Nelson Banks, yes; Sam S. Toler, Jr., yes; Charles A. Harris, yes.

Suez Temple, San Angelo, Texas: Martin G. Browne, yes; John D. Bright, yes; Robert H. Augustinus, yes; Ted O. Groebl, yes.

Syria Temple, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: J. Milton Ryall, absent; Clarence M. Sheasley, yes; William G. Haile, yes; Charles E. Palmer, yes; William H. Latimer, Jr., yes; Kenneth T. Paxton, yes.

Syrian Temple, Cincinnati, Ohio: Lynn R. Van Ness, yes; Oscar W. Hirschfeld, yes; Winfield W. Tripp, yes; Harry M. Bader, yes.

Tadmor Temple, Akron, Ohio: William H. Knowlton, yes; Howard C. Rodgers, yes; Earl S. Hollen, yes; George T. Carper, yes; A. J. B. Miller, yes.

Tangier Temple, Omaha, Nebraska: Alva M. Smith, absent; William F. Kunold, yes; Luther J. Thompson, yes; Herbert T. White, yes; Jerome Given, yes.

Tebala Temple, Rockford, Illinois: W. Clyde Oliver, yes; Clarence E. Werner, no; David L. Klontz, yes; Dawn A. Smith, yes; F. Eugene Morrison, yes; Allan C. Mallquist, yes.

Tehama Temple, Hastings, Nebraska: Earl B. Baldwin, yes; Horace W. Schreck, yes; Edward H. Lockwood, yes; Homer C. Davey, yes.

Tehran Temple, Fresno, California: Seymour C. Sterling, yes; Letus A. Wallace, yes; Bertram R. Snapp, yes; Harry O. Beck, yes.

Tigris Temple, Syracuse, New York: Robert G. Evans, no; Robert A. Henderson, absent; Sam Gilman, no; Ralph W. Stirner, no.

Tripoli Temple, Milwaukee, Wisconsin: Thomas W. Melham, yes; Henry F. Zarse, absent; B. Howard Schaffer, yes; Vernon M. Bushman, yes; Milton L. Meister, yes; Louis J. Best, no.

Wahabi Temple, Jackson, Mississippi: Samuel E. Birdsong, absent; Ralph T. Whitaker, yes; H. Warren Tool, Jr., yes; A. H. Richter, yes; Thomas V. Laird, Jr., yes.

Wa-Wa Temple, Regina, Saskatchewan: G. W. C. Johns, no; M. R. Douglas, no; N. Bruce McCannel, no; H. C. Ireland, no.

Yaarab Temple, Atlanta, Georgia: Robinson W. Schilling, yes; Daniel D. Shermer, yes; Frank C. Berry, yes; Frank R. Fling, yes.

Yelduz Temple, Aberdeen, South Dakota: Richard W. Hendry, yes; George M. Rich, yes; Lloyd A. Johnson, yes; Leo F. Ward, yes.

Za-Ga-Zig Temple, Des Moines, Iowa: Erman L. Dutcher, yes; James F. Irish, yes; Ted Cutler, yes; Karl M. McCulloch, yes.

Zamora Temple, Birmingham, Alabama: George A. Mattison, Jr., yes; J. S. Kenamer, yes; John E. Gammill, yes; James R. Maxwell, yes; J. Edgar Bowron, yes.

Zembo Temple, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania: J. Edwin Weigle, no; J. Herbert Raymond, no; Harold E. McCormick, no; G. Donald Jenkins, no.

Zem Zem Temple, Erie, Pennsylvania: O. Carlyle Brock, absent; Robert S. Schluraff, yes; Donald A. Schimmel, yes; James A. McKnight, yes; Howard E. Kelly, yes.

Zenobia Temple, Toledo, Ohio: Edwin F. Baertschi, yes; John V. Longberry, yes; Burton R. MacRitchie, yes; Arthur W. Taylor, yes; Howard E. Smith, yes.

Ziyara Temple, Utica, New York: A. Edward Allen, no; Andrew C. Treiber, no; Charles F. Gorton, no; John Marko, Sr., no.

Zor Temple, Madison, Wisconsin: Winfield S. MacDonald, no; Lester C. Lee, no; Earl Sachse, no; William H. Rohde, no.

Zorah Temple, Terre Haute, Indiana: Leroy A. Francis, yes; Harold H. Giffel, yes; Harry E. Briggs, yes; James R. Bouillez, yes.

Zuhrah Temple, Minneapolis, Minnesota: Ervin L. Haase, no; Earl V. Reudy, no; L. A. Potter, Jr., no; Emil J. Beckstrom, no.

NORLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, while the Imperial Recorder is tabulating the vote I understand that Illustrious Les Swan would like to make a report.

NOBLE LESLIE H. SWAN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, fellow Representatives. Before proceeding with this report I would ask the members of the Committee on Jurisdictional Lines, Quinn Glover, Clarence Sheasley, Lowell Braden, Jacob Wingerter, William Boyen and Ward Sterling, to approach the East and come to the stage, please, and sit over here.

I want to make this statement, Representatives. To the Committee on Jurisdictional Lines has been referred the proposed amendment to Article XXXVI, Temples in Tennessee. We have had a number of meetings with the Officers and Representatives of both Alhambra and Kerbela Temples. We are pleased to report to this Imperial Council that these Representatives have exhibited a sincere desire to exert a great effort to work together for the good of Shrinedom.

We would like to hear at this moment from the Illustrious Potentate of Alhambra Temple who submitted the proposed amendment. Would you approach the microphone please? This is Illustrious Potentate Harold E. Brown of Alhambra Temple of Chattanooga, Tennessee.

NOBLE HAROLD E. BROWN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives. Alhambra Temple, the oldest Tennessee Temple, has had a working agreement with Kerbela Temple on concurrent jurisdiction since 1937. Certain misunderstandings or contentions arose that we felt were insurmountable. We therefore proposed this amendment to cancel our agreement. Since that time I am happy to say that we have worked out our differences. We have sat down as Masons and Shriners in an effort for what is best for those who will become Masons and Shriners in our territory. We realize there have been mistakes, realize that there were mistakes we feel we can correct. Against the advice of my doctor I came here with this in mind, that I would like to report there has been success and we have gotten together on a common ground.

We therefore move or request that our proposed amendment to the Iowa Code be withdrawn, that our cancellation of the agreement be withdrawn and that the status remain the same as it now appears. (*Applause*)

Brothers, I might say at this time that we all realize we have enough opposition to fight outside the confines of our own fraternity without fighting among ourselves. I would like to commend this Committee for their patience, their understanding and their help. Thank you very much. (*Applause*)

NOBLE LESLIE H. SWAN: Representatives, we would now like to hear from the Chief Rabban of Kerbela Temple. Will he approach? Representatives, this is Noble Thomas W. McDowell, Chief Rabban of Kerbela Temple of Knoxville.

NOBLE THOMAS W. McDOWELL: Imperial Sirs, Illustrious Sirs, my fellow Representatives. I am speaking on behalf of our Illustrious Potentate and my Temple. It is wonderful to be a Mason. More than it is wonderful to be a Shriner. It is wonderful to associate with all of our good friends, especially the close ones in Chattanooga, Tennessee. We have made errors. We realize those errors. As our Illustrious Sir Brown says, we have corrected and will correct most happily, most

harmoniously, for all the good will that it will do for Shrinedom and for not only Shrinedom but for the Blue Lodges throughout our jurisdiction of both Temples.

Kerbela Temple is delighted to have back again the relationship we have enjoyed so long with our mother Temple, Alhambra Temple. Thank you. (*Applause*)

NOBLE LESLIE H. SWAN: Imperial Potentate, on behalf of your Committee on Jurisdictional Lines we want to very sincerely from the bottom of our hearts express to the Officers and Representatives of these two fine Temples our grateful appreciation for this manifestation of Masonic principles and true Shrine fellowship. We commend them to your faith. That is our report. I thank you. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: If we may have your attention, the Imperial Recorder is ready to announce the vote on the per capita tax.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: The registered Representatives at this Session represent 736. Two-thirds of that would mean 491 votes. In this count there were 22 absentees, 128 no votes, 586 yes votes. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Now, Nobles, now that this matter has been satisfactorily, I hope, disposed of we will proceed to the question of the increase in the mileage and per diem. I will call on the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee to make the report for that Committee.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Divan and fellow Representatives. We are now about to act upon the proposed amendment to Sections 205.1, 205.2 and 205.5. The first amendment is as follows. (*Reading*)

TO THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL, A.A.O.N.M.S.:

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws a proposed amendment to Section 205.1 of Article 5 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation (revision), providing that the same shall read as follows:

“§ 205.1 Mileage. (a) Each Representative who attends a session of the Imperial Council shall be paid mileage at the rate of 25 cents per mile one way by the shortest available route from the location of his Temple to the place of the session.

(b) For the purpose of this section, the location of the Temple is at the address given in the then current Imperial Council directory or, where no street address is given, the central post office in the city named in the Temple's charter.

(c) If a Representative lives outside the state in which his Temple is located and nearer the place of the session, he shall be paid mileage only from the place of his residence.”

The effect of this amendment would be to change the mileage from twenty cents per mile one way to twenty-five cents per mile one way.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*
 WARREN L. JONES
 WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON
 EDWIN K. STEERS
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 ROBERT H. FOUKE
 JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.

The report is respectfully submitted and signed by all of the members of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of this report and that Section 205.1 of Article 5 be amended in accordance with this report.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Gentlemen, you have heard the motion. Do I hear a second? (*Motion seconded*) The motion has been made and duly seconded. The question is now open for discussion and argument on this motion.

VOICES: Question! Question!

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Are you ready for the question?

VOICES: Yes! Question!

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, I will remind you that this requires a two-thirds majority vote. So all who are in favor of increasing the mileage allowance from twenty cents a mile to twenty-five cents a mile will please signify by saying, "Aye." Those opposed, "No." The Chair rules that the Ayes seem to have it and that the Ayes have it. (*Applause*)

We will now hear from the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee with respect to the per diem payment.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.:

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws a proposed amendment to Section 205.2 of Article 5 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation (revision), providing the same shall read as follows:

"§ 205.2 Per Diem. Each Representative who attends a session of the Imperial Council shall be paid per diem expenses at the rate of \$35.00 for each day he attends the session."

The effect of this amendment would be to change the per diem from \$30.00 to \$35.00 per day for four days.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*

ELMER P. BROMLEY

WARREN L. JONES

WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

EDWIN K. STEERS

ROBERT H. FOUKE

JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.

The report is respectfully submitted by the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws and signed by all of the members. Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of the report and that Section 205.2 of Article 5 of the By-Laws be amended in accordance with this report. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, you have heard the motion. Do I hear a second? (*Motion seconded*) It has been moved and seconded that the per diem be increased from \$30 a day to \$35 per day. I again remind you that this requires a two-thirds majority vote. The matter is now before this body for discussion and argument, if any.

VOICES: Question! Question!

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The previous question has been called for. So many of you as favor the adoption of this amendment will signify by saying, "Aye." Those opposed. The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and the motion is carried. (*Applause*)

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Now we come to Section 205.5 of Article 5. (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.:

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws a proposed amendment to Section 205.5 of Article 5 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation (revision), providing that the same shall read as follows:

"§ 205.5 Method and Time of Payment. Nobles entitled to mileage and per diem shall be paid at the close of the session by checks prepared from the report of the Mileage and Per Diem Committee based on a 4 day session. If the Imperial Council remains in session for longer than 4 days, a check for any additional per diem expenses allowed shall be mailed to each Noble entitled thereto."

The effect of this amendment would be to change the annual session of the Imperial Council from 3 days to 4 days.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

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ROBERT H. FOUKE

The report is respectfully submitted by the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws and it has been signed by all the members of the Committee. Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of this report and that Section 205.5 of Article V of the By-laws be amended in accordance with this report.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, you have heard the motion. Is it seconded? (*Motion seconded*) It has been moved and seconded as you have heard. Is there any discussion?

VOICES: Question! Question!

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Are you ready for the question?

VOICES: Question! Question!

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I again remind you that this is a two-thirds vote. As many as are in favor signify by saying, "Aye." Those opposed. The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and the motion is carried. (*Applause*)

(*Imperial Potentate Close now presiding.*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, the jurisdictional lines question was scheduled as the first order of business. I am now going to call for this report. This constitutes a waiver of what was in the call. I am going to call on the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Imperial Sir, Imperial Officers and fellow Representatives. (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.:

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to Section 328.2 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to the extent of Temple jurisdiction, to read as follows:

328.2 Extent.

(b) In no case can jurisdiction extend beyond the limits of the state in which the Temple is located unless there is an agreement between it and the other Temples affected. *For a period of one year only, from July 31, 1964, the restriction of this subsection is suspended; and any candidate for initiation may petition a Temple in another state if that Temple is nearer to his actual residence than the Temple in whose jurisdiction he lives.*

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

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WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

The report is respectfully submitted by your Committee and signed by all members thereof. In order that this matter may come on for discussion, debate and action, I move that this be adopted. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion. It has been regularly moved and seconded. The Potentate of Almas Temple has asked to be recognized at this time. First I recognize the Potentate of Za-Ga-Zig Temple, Illustrious Dutcher.

NOBLE ERMAN L. DUTCHER: Imperial Sir and Representatives. As many of you know this amendment was proposed by Za-Ga-Zig Temple. During the past several days I, as Potentate of our Temple, have been asked by several of you Nobles why Za-Ga-Zig Temple would sponsor this amendment, our Temple being in the geographical location of the central portion of Iowa, surrounded by Temples across State lines to whom we would probably have members petition. I was asked why we were sponsoring this since it would certainly hurt our Temple. Nobles, I say to you very sincerely, and the rest of our Representatives feel, that this will not hurt our Temple. It will help our Temple because of the increased interest which this will create among Masons who are not now Shriners. We definitely feel that there will be many more Shriners in the State of Iowa and whether or not they belong to Za-Ga-Zig Temple is not a matter of primary consideration.

It is our sincere desire and I know, since we heard the Imperial Potentate-elect this morning, it would play much stress on his program for increased membership and also for a better public image of the Shrine over our country. If we can get the fez on these non-Shriners who are now Masons who desire to wear the fez but hesitate because they don't want to travel 150 to 175 miles, but who no doubt would join if they could join their neighbors across the State line, . . . this was the primary consideration for the sponsorship of this amendment.

Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of this amendment. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I recognize the Potentate of Almas Temple.

NOBLE WILLIAM J. MILEHAM: Imperial Potentate Harold Close, Imperial Sirs, Representatives, Nobles. I am not a silver-tongued orator. What I have to say comes right from the heart. I like everybody. I see very many friends in this room. I like Shriners particularly and what Shrinedom stands for.

For years Shrinedom has not progressed. I checked up on the exact figures and the last six years our membership has increased by 33,954 members. Compared with our total membership of 834,000 that shows an average increase of two-thirds of one per cent. If we take it back to the last three years we have increased only 12,813 or an average of one-half of one per cent. I ask you, Nobles, is that progress in Shrinedom?

One-third of the Temples, approximately, during this past year have suffered a loss. You are right out there. You know that you suffered a loss. At the same time you know we have the most terrifically expanding population that this country has ever known and we are losing.

I appreciated very much a nice letter that I got from the Imperial Potentate congratulating my Temple on an increase in membership last year. It should not have come to me. It should have the credit given to my predecessor as Potentate. Our increase in membership for which I received compliments was exactly one member. Nobles, that does not look as though we are making much progress.

What does this change mean? We cannot die on the vine. We must have a change somehow or other. This proposed resolution does not alter any jurisdiction within this country whatsoever. I have heard people say that we can lose Shriners. You cannot lose anyone who is a member of your Temple at the present time. He cannot demit without a change of address. You cannot lose what you have. You cannot lose what you don't have. If by allowing a potential Noble to join a Temple which is convenient to him you are going to have an increase of many, many thousands of Nobles.

Who is gaining? That is Shrinedom. If these men were going to join your Temple, why haven't they? We have competition today for Shrinedom. Years ago Lodge night was a big deal. The Shrine was a big deal. They would travel hundreds of miles. As it is today they have TV, and don't underestimate it, and they have so many other attractions that we must make our organization attractive to them and convenient to them.

You may say that if a man isn't interested enough in Shrinedom to travel a couple of hundred miles when we have a meeting, we don't want him. You don't mean that. In fact, it doesn't work that way. In fact, there is one place where a man lives within 500 feet of a Temple and cannot join. What is being done now is denying membership to potential Shriners. I don't see how you can question the fact that we are denying them because we are not making it possible for them to join this wonderful Order of ours.

Now there is a saying that you pass this way but once. Many of you are attending your first Imperial Council Session as Imperial Representatives. I am attending just my second and very likely my last. At the same time I think that each of you as an individual would get a great deal of personal satisfaction out of knowing that you voted for something that was going to be progressive and constructive for the organization in which you have demonstrated you have so very, very much confidence. You had to make certain promises in order to become Masons. I know that there is no one in this room that made any false promises. I remind you of what you had to say. I personally feel that more in the majority are in favor of this. I would ask anyone who would have it in his heart to vote "no" to ask himself if it is a selfish vote or if it is one dedicated to Shrinedom.

Please bear in mind that this is for one year only. It would take the same action by next year's Imperial Council Session in order to continue this. Is there any Temple that can say that in the period of one year it would lose? Is there any Temple who would not be willing to give this a trial for this short period of time?

Now in my own personal case we have concurrent jurisdiction in two counties with another Temple. There are certain financial responsibilities there entailed. I

can say this personally as an individual, not talking for my Temple, I would recommend that that same agreement be continued. It is an agreement between two Temples and one that was entered into in good faith. Things such as this can always be straightened out between any two Temples.

In closing may I just say that I hope you search your hearts and do what you believe is the best thing for the Shrine organization. This morning in the Invocation, perhaps I am paraphrasing a bit, the last thing that was said was, "Let what I do today be something that I will be proud of tomorrow." I hope you do that. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, the Representative from Boumi Temple has asked to be heard.

NOBLE GEORGE A. BRATT, JR.: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, delegates all. I am not a silver-tongued orator. However, I must call attention to the fact that Boumi Temple has been the Mother Temple for three Temples in our jurisdiction. We have been the Mother Temple for Almas. We have been the Mother Temple for Ali Ghan. We have been the Mother Temple for Nur Temple in Delaware. A few short years ago our Imperial Council gave us permission to make an investment in the State of Maryland and City of Baltimore to build a \$2 million Temple. We set that project up in anticipation of having the territory left to us in the State of Maryland to help us clear the mortgage on that building.

We gladly cooperate with our sister Temples and we gladly cooperate with Almas. But this situation is a geographic situation and not only does it affect Boumi but it affects every Temple in the United States according to its geographic location. While it is only a one-year proposition and while it is just a case of getting your foot in the door, all of you who are in the same position as we are take heed and govern yourselves accordingly. I thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I recognize the Potentate of Nur Temple, Governor Carvel.

NOBLE ELBERT N. CARVEL: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, my fellow Shriners. I have heard it said that this was a geographic situation and I also realize I have heard it said this morning that many speakers here were from small Temples. I, too, am from a small Temple and I am from a small State. I am from the second smallest State in the United States and our Temple has about 2,000 members.

There is a question about that second smallest State, something like Texas where they seem to like to think they are the largest State. We are not sure. If it is high tide in Delaware and high tide in Rhode Island we might be the smallest. At any rate we have more Governor per square mile than any other State in the Union. (*Laughter*)

Now this matter which faces us today, we have observed how difficult it is to initiate a new Temple in the North American jurisdiction as a measure of rigidity because of our Shrine in this jurisdiction. I have also observed that in the various service clubs which have grown quite fast, Kiwanis, Lions, Rotary, Exchange and so on, I notice that that rigidity does not exist and these clubs have grown substantially, and I am sure that many of you here are members of such organizations in your various locations. I have been a member of the Lions Club just a little longer than I have been a Mason and I have observed just what they have done to practically double their membership in the last fifteen years.

Now we in Delaware were sponsored by Boumi. We have the highest regard for that great Temple over in Baltimore. Of course, we are part of the great Delmarva Peninsula which is separated from the western shore of Maryland by Chesapeake Bay and this geographic division has been enunciated perhaps even more because in Delaware we are a small State and part of that peninsula of which the eastern shore of Maryland is part and it is quite easy for folks to come right over the line. There are not many who would do it, but it is a possibility.

My Temple feels that this rigidity is perhaps stopping many good members of the Consistory and Commandery from becoming Shriners just because they have to go so far away to get the job done. As we see it, in our little State we think that the cause of Shrinedom can be helped and the cause of Masonry can be helped because there are many, many men who join the Masonic Order with their eyes lifted upward and desiring to move ahead through the Scottish Rite or the York Rite hoping someday to be Shriners.

I observed what happened down in Texas where Sharon Temple, our newest Temple, where they had an increase of over 300 members and the Grand Master of Masons in Texas pointed out that Masonry also improved in that area substantially even though it had suffered a net loss in the State of Texas, a small net loss but albeit a net loss.

So my main point is this. There has been a measure of rigidity and there is not enough flexibility perhaps to encourage now that there is so much competition, talking about television and many other things, that seem to keep people home, automobiles and other diversions, that there is the opportunity to encourage men to become Shriners and that we should lift these restrictions which perhaps stop them on many occasions. We should eliminate this rigidity and make this operation more flexible so that we can move ahead in the field of our own wonderful Shrine.

I am very happy to report to you all. As I say, we are a small State and we have a small population in our Temple, 2,000, but we are going to move ahead better than 5 per cent this year and we are now a Temple which is eleven years old, but if the whole organization of the Shrine throughout the whole United States would move ahead on the same 5 per cent basis within two or three years we would have a million Shriners and it would be a great boon to all of us. So it is a pleasure to present this to you and thank you very much. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The Potentate of Rizpah Temple.

NOBLE BEN M. STROTHER: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives. I am the Potentate of Rizpah Temple which is located in the western section of Kentucky. Our jurisdiction is composed of approximately thirty counties extending from the Ohio River on the north, the Mississippi River on the west, and the Tennessee State line on the south. We have approximately 100,000 to 150,000 people living on the Ohio River and these people are located within eight to thirty miles of a very popular, energetic Temple in Indiana of which I am very fond. Many of our members attend this Temple as if it were their own. We are welcome and go there frequently. We love it. But our love for it is not that we love our neighboring Temple less, but that we love our own Temple more.

We are building in Madisonville, Kentucky, a new Temple. It will be dedicated, we hope, by the Imperial Potentate in November of this year. Without new members we will be handicapped in paying for this building although we have the

plans we hope that will insure the payment without any trouble but that is based primarily on getting new members. So it stands to reason that if those people, those 150,000 people living within less than thirty miles of the Temple across the river in Indiana, it stands to reason that they would probably put in their membership there rather than travel a further distance to Madisonville. So that is the reason, gentlemen, that our Temple will probably be hurt the worst if this motion is carried. As I said before, it is not that we love our neighboring Temple less, but it is that we love our own Temple more.

I beseech each of you to consider our plight and help us save our Temple by voting no on this motion. I thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I recognize the Past Potentate of Hamasa Temple.

NOBLE JAMES T. SINGLEY: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, fellow delegates. I am from a small Temple here and I must make a record here or I am not going to be permitted home any more. If this is passed our Temple will be affected badly but we have sat here this afternoon and seen the Jurisdictional Lines Committee come in with two Temples where they solved their problem. I understand that we have a number of jurisdictions where people live nearer and there is a provision in our By-laws now whereby waivers can be granted by one Temple to another. But I understand too that some Temples won't grant these waivers and I say to you that if I were the Jurisdictional Lines Committee or the Imperial Divan I would draw these Temples together and work out these differences. It can be done by agreement among the Temples involved.

If this should pass and then you should pass the next matter that I am sure will come before you whereby you are going to execute a waiver automatically without a vote of your Temple, I say we are treading on dangerous ground for you are giving up the right to give a waiver in anything. If we can pass that kind of thing then the next thing you know we will pass a resolution to let somebody else sign our checks. But I do say that we can work it out in another way and I suggest that we do it that way as Shriners and Masons; that we continue our jurisdiction for another reason, that there is no way for a Temple operating under this amendment to know that Shriners reside within its jurisdiction. There are no provisions made here to report to the Temple in whose jurisdiction a Shriner may live that he is a Shriner. He can join another Temple and the Temple that has jurisdiction will know nothing of it. I still stay that we should exercise the right of waiver and that is the right that the Temple has and I suggest as a point of order, Sir, that we don't have the right to take that waiver away without a vote of the Temple.

I suggest too that when we granted these charters to the various Temples we gave them jurisdiction and your Temple has a definite jurisdiction. That is tantamount to giving a franchise as we know it in the business world. If you had a franchise for Coca Cola or some other company you would certainly defend your territory. We have made commitments, obligations like these bonds on Temples and things of that kind, with the full knowledge that we had exclusive jurisdiction and the right to waive it when we wish. I submit to you that you cannot here take away what you have already granted and I suggest that as a point of order, Sir, I still say that we are waving the dog by the tail by passing this resolution. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I recognize the next speaker, the Representative from Ainad Temple.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I can't get through by three-thirty.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Come up, Lou.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir and Representatives. I almost feel like saying here we are again because this has been before us many times during the many years. There have been many people who seek the territory which by the law is granted to another Temple. It was mentioned that nothing in these laws, and I am going to speak generally to the subject if you don't mind, not about Ainad, because the original thing before us was in 220 which is now in a new section, because there are many other sections involved.

Now Section 328.1, which is just above 328.2, states, "Each Temple, subject to Shrine law, whether acting under dispensation or charter, is sovereign in its own territorial jurisdiction in all matters pertaining to the Order." This takes away part of our sovereign rights. That is, any Temple that loses one iota is affected and 328.1, the provisions of that, have been violated.

We have in our territorial jurisdiction, Part IV, all the way from page 83 to page 121 carefully lined out the States, the Temples and the territories that belong to them. Any change in that that we might have by adoption of this amendment, God forbid, would then affect existing law but also our jurisdiction.

Let me get rid of that "for one year only." Let's not kid ourselves. It is from now on or not from now on. Let's do it. I was going to say let's do it once. If you have heard that before that is the prelude to a shotgun wedding. *(Laughter)* Let's do this for a year, it's not going to hurt you. It ain't necessarily so.

I want to defend the law the way it is. There is another section, please look at it, 323.4 on page 35. "Residence. A petitioner must be an actual resident for at least six months in the jurisdiction of the Temple to which he applies." How do you get around that? That is the law unless they say it is within the law to do this. I say that is out of the law or out of order. Actual residence is defined as the place where the applicant in good faith makes his home.

They want to monkey around with our waiver. Now what is a waiver? A waiver is a voluntary relinquishment of a right which you yourself possess. Voluntary! If you take it away with your thumbs at his Adam's Apple, that isn't very voluntary.

A waiver has been protected in our law. The new law didn't change that. "Waivers. A Temple may not act upon a petition for initiation of anyone residing within the exclusive jurisdiction of another Temple, without first obtaining a waiver from that Temple. A Temple may waive its jurisdiction and permit another Temple to initiate a candidate residing within its jurisdiction." Then it says something about the fee that I shall not take the time to read. "Where two or more Temples hold concurrent jurisdiction over territory, a waiver from each is necessary to enable a petitioner of that jurisdiction to be created a Noble of a Temple in any other jurisdiction. The Potentate does not have the power to grant a waiver, but it is given only by authority and under the seal of the Temple granting it. A Temple may not grant a blanket waiver."

I will make one speech that will take care of this whole business, if you don't mind. A Temple is the only one that can grant a waiver by vote. A Potentate can't give it. A blanket waiver cannot be granted. But here a man who is not yet

a Noble and who may not be elected to be a Noble, and who in his own State may not be elected to be a Noble, takes an application and that suddenly becomes a waiver. If that is the way you have listened there is nothing voluntary about that. It is just taking away Temple rights and making an applicant bigger than anything in the Order. I am not going to waver, w-a-v-e-r, on my insistence that this is illegal if they insist on putting this whole group, one is part of another, without one the rest can't operate, so there are a few other amendments coming on this. You cross a line here. You cross a line there. Sometime, somehow, there may be a doublecross in there. (*Laughter*)

I heard mention of the Scripture and I pray, but I know the Commandments and I think there is one Commandment that all these people who have their eye on somebody else's property or somebody's wife should remember, "Thou shalt not covet."

There are inequalities in some places. There are some wrongs that should be righted—but try to impress that on the Temple from whom you want to get something.

Remember, he has the right to do it and if he does not choose to do it, well, you try to force him to do it. I used a story on you once. It is like the fellow who had the fish he just caught and said, "I will cut you open. I won't hurt you. Why don't you stay still? All I want to do is gut you." (*Laughter*)

The law gives you that right. That crossing of State lines can happen and it is by consent of the Temples interested or, whatever the other word is, the Temples affected. I am absolutely opposed to changing the present law and any of these substitutes in my estimation are opposed to many other sections of the law that ought to be pulled out of order but rather than go on a technicality I am ready to just vote them down, at least not give them enough votes to win. I am violently opposed. When I say violently I don't mean violently, I know what violently means. (*Laughter*) I am saying with all the kindness in my heart and all the sincerity in my heart, don't do this thing. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, are you ready for the question?

VOICES: Question! Question!

NOBLE JESSE A. WHITE: Imperial Sir. I have been talking to the Past Potentate of Omar Temple and what he has to propose would terminate the matter if you would grant him the privilege.

PAST POTENTATE ROBERT S. REEVES of OMAR TEMPLE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and fellow delegates all. I would be remiss in my duty as an elected Representative and Past Potentate of my Temple if I were not up here vigorously—and I think that is the word Lou wanted to use—vigorously opposing the change in our legislation. This has been a franchise worked out during the years and proven to be very, very successful. We in Omar Temple, a small Temple in South Carolina bounded on one side by the Atlantic Ocean, have always had a good feeling with our Temple on the south, Alee, and our sister Temples on the north in North Carolina. I feel that any change now would certainly cause some rift in not only our friendship, but the friendship that exists with other Temples.

I therefore move that this motion be tabled here and now. (*Motion seconded*) (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, the motion before you now is to table this proposal. All those in favor of tabling please say, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair the Noes have it.

VOICES: No! No!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Do you question the vote?

VOICES: Yes! Yes!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor of tabling this motion please stand. Please be seated. All those against tabling the motion please stand. In the opinion of the Chair the motion is tabled. (*Applause*)

Nobles, we are running a little late now. I am going to ask you to recess until the morning. Let me say this to you. Certainly I think we have accomplished a lot for the Shrine this afternoon. I appreciate your patience and your cooperation. I do hope that we can adjourn this meeting by noontime tomorrow but this certainly is not certain. There will not be any roll calls tomorrow. I do hope that you will all be here, and it may be open season on the Imperial Potentate. Tomorrow morning at nine o'clock, the same place.

(The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S. recessed at 3:45 P.M. to reconvene at 9:00 A.M., Friday, July 24, 1964, in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel.)

MORNING SESSION

Friday, July 24, 1964

Nine o'Clock A.M.

The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S. reconvened in the Grand Ballroom of the New York Hilton Hotel, New York City, New York, Friday, July 24, 1964, at 9:00 A.M., Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close presiding.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, if we can come to order, please. I know many of you are anxious to get out and be on your way. We will try to expedite this morning's meeting as much as we can.

I am going to call on our Imperial Chaplain at this time to lead us in prayer. Rev. Russell Camp.

REV. AND NOBLE RUSSELL E. CAMP: Let us pray. Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, as we pause in prayer at the opening of this day of work and in the shadows of the session we are now culminating, may we truly hear Thee in conscience and in the dictates of a higher self, for we confess ourselves to be a part of Thy human children who have not just missed the way but have sometimes put our blind confidence in false gods and go about our selfish ways without Thy Counsel. Take, we pray, fear and hardness of heart and we shall love Thee as Thou dost love us. Search us and when we come to the realization we are Thy children truly in the words of old, Homo Imago Dei, man in the image of God, when we realize this, then surely goodness and mercy shall follow us all the days of our life and we shall dwell in the House of the Lord forever. Amen.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, the first order of business this morning will be the report of the Necrology Committee. I recognize the Chairman, Larry Bulfinch. Please give your attention.

NOBLE F. LAWRENCE BULFINCH: (*Reading*)

Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives and Nobles:

During the past year our Shrine has lost some of our most Illustrious Members. We pause at this time that this 90th Imperial Council Session give respectful consideration to its distinguished dead.

It is with deep sorrow and regret that I place the names of the following Nobles on our record.

GEORGE H. ROWE

Past Imperial Potentate Judge George H. Rowe passed away on December 22, 1963. Imperial Sir Rowe served as Imperial Potentate of the Order from July 25, 1946 to May 29, 1947.

He was a member and Trustee of the Central Presbyterian Church. Judge Rowe possessed a deep understanding and warmth of feeling for all men, served the cause of brotherhood long and faithfully through the Masonic fraternity, and the Shrine.

It was that same understanding that enabled him to make an early and adverse appraisal of Communism.

While his sympathy for mankind, no less than his intense patriotism, prompted him to make a fierce and uncompromising fight against the red philosophy from its beginning, almost single handed, he waged what amounted to a one man campaign against communism, carrying the fight across the continent to every Temple he visited.

He became a Mason in May 1913, and later became a charter member of East Gate Lodge #980 of Buffalo, New York.

He was elevated to the honorary 33° Scottish Rite in September 1945, was a Knight Templar, a member of the Grotto and a life member of Buffalo Court #22 Royal Order of Jesters.

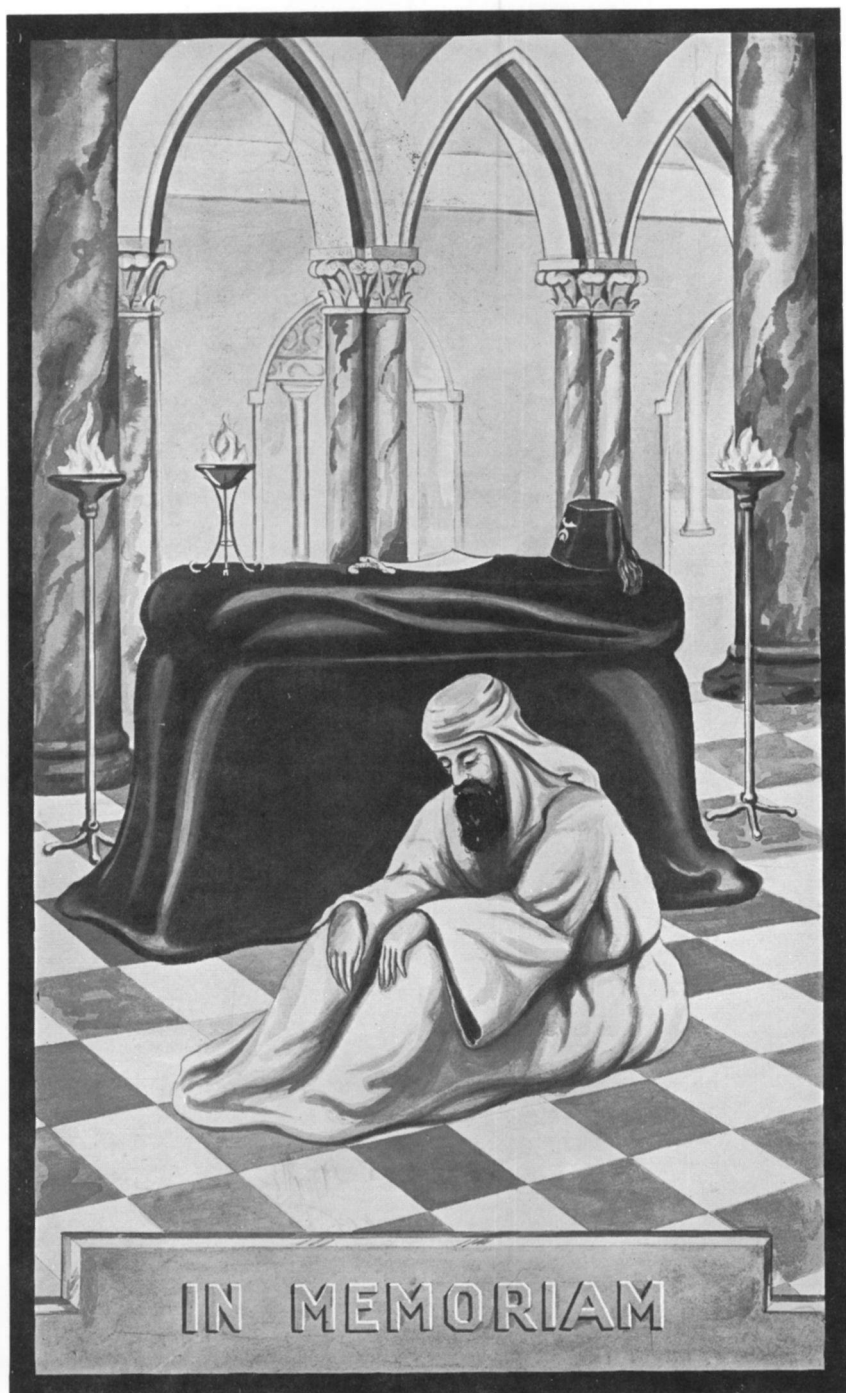
Becoming a member of Ismailia Temple, May 2, 1916, he was elected Potentate in 1928, and served his Temple and the Imperial Council, in many important capacities.

During World War II he was Chairman of the Imperial Council's War Activities Committee, and received an official citation from the Treasury Department for his work in that capacity.

His many Shrine friends have missed him in late years at the Imperial Sessions, and our sincere thoughts are extended to his loved ones remaining, a son, George H. Rowe, Jr., a daughter, Mrs. Gloria J. DeVita, and their children.

CLAYTON F. ANDREWS

It was about five o'clock on the morning of Good Friday, March 27, 1964, that Past Imperial Potentate Clayton F. Andrews, PhC, M.D., passed on to his eternal rest. He had been in ill health most of the time since his term of service as Imperial Potentate.



IN MEMORIAM

Born in St. Paul, Nebraska on January 4, 1891, he received his early education there. He later graduated from the Creighton College of Pharmacy in Omaha, and in 1916 received his degree of Doctor of Medicine from the Medical College of the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia.

Dr. Andrews served in World War I, in the Army Medical Corps, from 1917 to the war's end in 1919, mostly in the European Theatre. One of his patients at Cannes, France was Miss Mildred R. Wells, who he married upon their return to the U. S., at the "Little Church around the Corner" in New York.

After discharge from the service he became a Fellow in Surgery at the Mayo Clinic at Rochester, Minnesota where he remained for nearly four years. His medical history was a continuing series of honors and important appointments.

He was Potentate of Sesostri Temple in 1941; one of the founders of the Central States Shrine Association in 1938, and its President in 1946. He was member of the Cabiri; Past Director Lincoln Court #118, Royal Order of Jesters; and member Grand Council Order of DeMolay. He was also listed in "Who's Who" in Nebraska and "Who's Who" in America.

He was Imperial Potentate from July 9, 1959 to July 14, 1960. He was Chairman of the Medical Records Committee of the Shriners Hospitals. Under his leadership the Committee completed the Medical Records work, bringing our records from the inception of our great charity to a completion. The Committee also completed the Nomenclature Manual under his guidance, making all this available for research projects by our own surgeons, or other surgeons and Scientists, should their interest require them. The great contribution made by Dr. Andrews to this program places Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children in a most enviable position by other Hospitals and Medical Groups.

To his widow, Mrs. Mildred Andrews, and his son David, (a Noble of Medinah Temple) we extend our deepest sympathies, and say to them our word of thanks for sharing his life with us in our Shrine work.

His was a most exemplary life of service to humanity, a noted surgeon and benefactor to those in need.

DOUGLAS A. MacARTHUR

One of America's greatest soldiers, General of the Army Douglas A. MacArthur marched on to everlasting fame on April 5, 1964.

He was initiated into Nile Temple on August 10, 1936, and held a life membership in that Temple.

MacArthur was a 33° Mason, and was so universally known that words about him are superfluous.

He once wrote: "Although the Mystic Shrine has been called 'the playground of Masonry' it exemplifies the highest tenets of international fraternalism. It is fundamentally opposed to those philosophies which would undermine human rights, and healthful development of world wide good will."

Old soldiers never die, they just fade away, but his soul goes marching on.

In addition, the Black Camel has passed through the tents of 103 distinguished members of our Order, who have answered the final summons, since the last Imperial Council Session. Their names will be recorded and printed in the report of this Session.

ABDALLAH TEMPLE, Kansas City, Kansas

Charles W. Johnson—Past Potentate—Died July 1, 1964
Joseph R. Henning—Past Potentate—Died June 20, 1964
Dr. Leroy E. Salzer—Potentate 1936—Died May 28, 1964

AHMED TEMPLE, Marquette, Michigan

Elmer Otto Erickson—Potentate 1937—Died April 26, 1964
Ernest L. Pearce—33°—Potentate 1913-1914—Died June 30, 1964

AKDAR TEMPLE, Tulsa, Oklahoma

Robert B. Hanna—Potentate 1922—Died December 21, 1963
Arthur W. DeHoney—Potentate 1939—Died November 26, 1963

ALADDIN TEMPLE, Columbus, Ohio

Raymond Zirkel—Past Potentate 1932
Harry W. Arnold—Past Potentate 1957
Thomas A. Bangs—Past Potentate 1948

AL BEDOO TEMPLE, Billings, Montana

Herbert F. Lees—Past Potentate—Died October 14, 1963

ALGERIA TEMPLE, Helena, Montana

Frank E. Vandemark—Potentate 1951—Died June 25, 1964

AL KALY TEMPLE, Pueblo, Colorado

Sumner W. Pressey—Potentate 1925—Died January 27, 1964
Ernest T. Shepherd—Potentate 1927—Died December 16, 1963

AL KORAN TEMPLE, Cleveland, Ohio

Louis H. Wieber—Potentate 1938—Died May 30, 1964
William T. Wood—Potentate 1946—Died March 10, 1964

AL MALAIKAH TEMPLE, Los Angeles, California

Robert A. Heffner—Past Potentate and Emeritus Representative—Died May 5, 1964
Ernest L. Hurst—Recorder Emeritus—Died January 22, 1964

ALMAS TEMPLE, Washington, D. C.

Amos A. Fries—Potentate 1927—Died December 30, 1963

AL MENAH TEMPLE, Nashville, Tennessee

Dr. Prentice Pugh—Temple Chaplain—Died July 19, 1963
James Joseph Vaughn—33°—Potentate 1945—Died April 3, 1964

ALZAFAR TEMPLE, San Antonio, Texas

Elliot John Bilhartz—Potentate 1953—Died March 23, 1964

ANTIOCH TEMPLE, Dayton, Ohio

Paul E. Yeazel—Potentate 1963—Died February 17, 1964

BAGDAD TEMPLE, Butte, Montana

Bob Gordon—Potentate 1930—Died November 15, 1963

BALLUT ABYAD TEMPLE, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Peter L. Williamson—Potentate 1918—Died October 4, 1963

Albert Bernard Betz—Potentate 1932—Died January 26, 1964

BEN HUR TEMPLE, Austin, Texas

Charles Robert Leggott—Potentate 1954—Died October 19, 1963

BENI KEDEM TEMPLE, Charleston, West Virginia

Dr. J. Stuart Ervin—33°—Potentate 1964—Member Imperial Council—Died June 23, 1964

BOUMI TEMPLE, Baltimore, Maryland

John H. Zink—Potentate 1937-38—Died May 25, 1964

Charles M. Sylvester—Potentate 1943—Died March 3, 1964

Ralph W. Martin—Potentate 1948—Died February 10, 1964

William L. K. Barrett, Jr.—Potentate 1954—Died November 18, 1963

CALAM TEMPLE, Lewiston, Idaho

Jack P. Sorey—Potentate 1954—Died November 3, 1963

EGYPT TEMPLE, Tampa, Florida

William Benjamin Parr, Jr.—Potentate 1957—Died May 5, 1964

EL BEKAL TEMPLE, Long Beach, California

Jesse M. Allen—Past Potentate—Died March 14, 1964

EL ZAGAL TEMPLE, Fargo, North Dakota

Hjalmer C. Nygaard, M.C.—Died July 18, 1963

William Stern—50 year member—Died January 1, 1964

Thomas I. Lewis—Potentate 1922—Died January 26, 1964

Bradley C. Marks—Died April 30, 1964

GIZEH TEMPLE, Vancouver, B. C.

George S. Powell—Potentate 1954—Died August 24, 1963

Dr. Emery C. Jones—Potentate 1931—Died March 21, 1964

Dr. Lachlan MacMillan—Potentate 1948—Died April 25, 1964

HADI TEMPLE, Evansville, Indiana

Clifford Taylor—Potentate 1960—Died June 18, 1964

Otto K. Thuerbach—Potentate 1940—Died April 5, 1964

HELLA TEMPLE, Dallas, Texas

Claude Wilson Lyon—Potentate 1958—Died June 4, 1964

Arthur I. Harris—Past Potentate—Died October 19, 1963

ISLAM TEMPLE, San Francisco, California

Francis V. Kessling—Past Potentate—Died September 25, 1963

Roy N. Buell—Past Potentate—Died November 3, 1963

ISMALIA TEMPLE, Buffalo, New York

John C. Ullmann—Potentate 1931—Died September 19, 1963

KAZIM TEMPLE, Roanoke, Virginia

Broaddus E. Chewning—Past Potentate—Died November 26, 1963

KHARTUM TEMPLE, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

William C. Borlase—Potentate 1930—Died February 6, 1964

KORA TEMPLE, Lewiston, Maine

Ernest L. Wellman—Recorder—Died April 12, 1964

KOREIN TEMPLE, Rawlins, Wyoming

Alexander H. MacDougall—Potentate 1945—Died June 23, 1963

KOSAIR TEMPLE, Louisville, Kentucky

Fred W. Langolf—Chief Rabban—Imperial Council Representative—Died May 23, 1964

Dennie R. Lindsay—Potentate 1927—Died July 20, 1963

Joseph S. Dickson—Potentate 1932—Died October 8, 1963

William C. Stiglitz—Potentate 1930—Died June 3, 1963

MAHI TEMPLE, Miami, Florida

E. B. Donnell—Potentate 1928—Died July 12, 1964

MEDINAH TEMPLE, Chicago, Illinois

Earl G. Anderson—Potentate 1957—Chairman Chicago Unit Shriners Hospital—Died March 7, 1964

William N. Boller—Potentate 1940—Died March 17, 1963

Christopher Van Deventer—33°—Potentate 1920—Died February 23, 1964

Sterne S. Gibney—Potentate 1951—Died December 17, 1963

MELHA TEMPLE, Springfield, Mass.

George W. Gray—Potentate 1946—Died January 11, 1964

MIZPAH TEMPLE, Fort Wayne, Indiana

George W. Gillie—Potentate 1924—Died July 3, 1963

Robert Koerher—Potentate 1925—Died October 11, 1963

MOCHA TEMPLE, London, Ontario

Frank E. Harley—Potentate 1933—Recorder 20 years—Died November 8, 1963

MOHAMMED TEMPLE, Peoria, Illinois

Clayton W. Burress—Potentate 1934—Died June 30, 1964

MOOLAH TEMPLE, St. Louis, Missouri

Paul L. Krueger—Potentate—Member Imperial Council—Died August 20, 1963

Ray S. Thompson—Potentate 1941—Died March 6, 1964

John W. Calhoun—Potentate 1932—Died June 10, 1964

MOROCCO TEMPLE, Jacksonville, Florida

J. Wendell Fargis—33°—Potentate 1962—Died February 19, 1964

MOSLAH TEMPLE, Fort Worth, Texas

Jesse E. Martin—Potentate 1939—Died April 7, 1964

MOSLEM TEMPLE, Detroit, Michigan

Milton C. Smith—Potentate 1944—Died March 13, 1964

Vaughn Reid—Potentate 1949—Died June 17, 1963

Harry A. McDonald—Potentate 1948—Died July 3, 1964

NILE TEMPLE, Seattle, Washington

Ralph S. Stacy—Potentate 1909—Died March 23, 1964

OASIS TEMPLE, Charlotte, North Carolina

S. Casper Chandler—Recorder Emeritus—Died March 12, 1964

OSIRIS TEMPLE, Wheeling, West Virginia

Dr. William R. Loper—33°—Died July 1, 1964

RIZPAH TEMPLE, Madisonville, Kentucky

John B. Brown—Potentate 1959—Died May 19, 1964

SALADIN TEMPLE, Grand Rapids, Michigan

Rudolph E. Larson—Past Potentate—Died November 28, 1963

SCIMITAR TEMPLE, Little Rock, Arkansas

James C. Bicknell—33°—Died April 29, 1964

E. F. Gallaway—Potentate 1954—Died February 19, 1964

Henry B. Goodman—50 Year Member—Died September 11, 1963

Alfred Leymer—Potentate 1922—Died July 18, 1963

Ellis M. Fagan—Potentate 1953—Died July 15, 1963

SESOSTRIS TEMPLE, Lincoln, Nebraska

Vern Hedge—Past Potentate—Died 1963

SPHINX TEMPLE, Hartford, Conn.

Wilfred H. Dresser—Potentate 1935—Died April 26, 1964

Henry W. Reid—Treasurer—Died May 29, 1964

A. Stanley Usher—Director Temple Charters—Died June 18, 1964

SYRIA TEMPLE, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

T. Ralph Barr—Potentate 1935—Member Board of Governors Philadelphia Unit—
Died September 24, 1963

TEBALA TEMPLE, Rockford, Illinois

Ward R. Shedd—33°—Potentate 1922-23—Died June 4, 1964

Harold C. Bentley—33°—Potentate 1922-23—Died June 4, 1964

TEHAMA TEMPLE, Hastings, Nebraska

Curtis L. Walters—Recorder Emeritus—Died May 29, 1964

TEHRAN TEMPLE, Fresno, California

Harry F. Miller—Potentate 1956—Died April 8, 1964

WAHABI TEMPLE, Jackson, Mississippi

Wiley P. Harris—Past Potentate—Emeritus Member Imerial Council

Lee D. Hall—33°—Asst. Justice Mississippi Supreme Court—Died October 30,
1963

Carl L. Oakes—33°—Past Grand Master, Grand Lodge Mississippi—Died Febru-
ary, 1964

Sam B. Lampton—Past Grand High Priest, Grand Chapter Mississippi—Died
March 13, 1964

ZA-GA-ZIG TEMPLE, Des Moines, Iowa

William Koch—33°—Potentate 1918-1919—Died June 1, 1964

ZENOBIA TEMPLE, Toledo, Ohio

D. Scott Hager—Potentate 1952—Died April 13, 1964

ZORAH TEMPLE, Terre Haute, Indiana

Maxwell A. Adolfs—Potentate 1963—Died June 6, 1964

ZUHRAH TEMPLE, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Joseph C. Ste. Marie—Potentate 1948—Died November 24, 1963

Alvin L. Dretchko—Potentate 1947—Died June 7, 1964

Reverend Russell E. Camp, Imperial Chaplain, will offer the prayer.

REV. AND NOBLE RUSSELL E. CAMP: Let us pray. Because Thou hast given unto each one of us, O God, the blessed gift of memory, we bow here before Thee to place upon the walls of our memory the portraits of those whom we would now honor. For all that Thou didst give them in the gift of life, for all of the closeness of association which most of us had with them, we are most grateful. And so, threaded down through the cords of our memory, O God, is this wonderful gift that we are able to etch into the portraits of all these men upon the walls of our memory those qualities which were good in Thy Sight and which helped our Fraternity. Take them as Thou must do into Thy Holy Love and keep us in Thy constant Love now and in the days to come. In Thy name we pray. Amen.

NOBLE F. LAWRENCE BULFINCH: Imperial Sir, this concludes the report of the Necrology Committee and I move the adoption of the report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report of the Committee and it was moved for adoption. All those in favor please signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. It is adopted.

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Sir and fellow Representatives. I have an announcement to make this morning. I announced the appointment yesterday of Past Imperial Potentate George E. Stringfellow as the Chairman of the Membership and Masonic Relations Committee. He is charged with the responsibility of recommending the personnel for both committees. Imperial Sir Stringfellow and I would greatly appreciate those of you interested in this work forwarding to him your suggestions and the names of those you think would be interested in the work of either or both Committees. Imperial Sir Stringfellow's address is 75 Prospect Street, East Orange, New Jersey. His telephone number is 201 Orange 4-6161. You will find it in the book or, if you didn't get it, it will be at George Saunders' desk here. We need help on both of those Committees, Nobles who will volunteer and who will work, because we have a terrific program lying ahead of us this year.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next order of business is the report of the Chairman of the Finance Committee for the Iowa Corporation, Imperial Sir Tom Melham.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Imperial Sir and Representatives. I appreciate the pressure of time. I am going to speak very fast. The first order of business, as far as we are concerned now, is the approval by this body of the 1964 revised budget. There has been an increase of \$214,520 since that time. \$40,042.22 was added by the Board of Directors at the midyear meeting in Miami and the balance of \$174,477.78 is the result of additions at this Session. So that we have as of now, total appropriations for which we ask your understanding and approval for these additions totaling \$777,850 for these items.

SECTION 1—ADMINISTRATIVE & GENERAL OPERATING EXPENSE

	New Budget
Imperial Potentate's Contingent Fund	\$ 32,500.00
Imperial Treasurer's Salary (as provided by By-laws of Iowa Corporation)	5,000.00
Imperial Treasurer's Secretarial Allowance	3,500.00
Imperial Recorder's Salary (as provided by By-laws of Iowa Corporation)	9,000.00

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Assistant Imperial Recorder's Salary	4,800.00
Imperial Recorder's Office Salaries	38,000.00*
Legal Fees & Expense—General Counsel (amount paid by Iowa Corporation)	6,000.00
Auditing Fees	2,500.00
Stationery, Supplies & Printing	26,500.00
Parade To Glory	33,500.00
Communications: Postage, Telephone, etc.	7,600.00
Travel Expense: Imperial Recorder & Potentate's Emissaries	10,000.00
Surety Bonds & Insurance	4,000.00
Employees' Social Security Tax	1,800.00
Employees' Pensions	3,000.00
Other General Expenses: Office Equipment, Maintenance & Miscellaneous	6,900.00
Building Expense:	
Maintenance	32,000.00
Insurance	1,500.00
Depreciation	23,500.00
*See page 216 for supplemental report for an additional \$5,000.	
Imperial Divan & Board of Directors Meetings and Reporting	\$ 21,000.00
Committee Expense:	
Imperial Session	500.00
Jurisprudence & Laws	7,000.00
Jurisdictional Lines	300.00
Membership	31,500.00
Special Committees	6,500.00
	45,800.00
TOTAL SECTION NO. 1	\$318,400.00

SECTION 2—OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES

Public Relations	\$ 65,000.00
Shrine Rooms Maintenance	12,500.00
Shrine Rooms Renovation	25,000.00
Flowers	200.00
Jackets: Imperial Officers	3,000.00
Jewels: Imperial Officers—Repairs & Issues	1,500.00
Past Imperial Potentate's Flags	200.00
TOTAL SECTION NO. 2	\$107,400.00

SECTION 3—ANNUAL SESSIONS EXPENSE

Mileage & Per Diem	\$347,000.00
Badges	1,300.00
Headquarters	2,500.00
Reporting Annual Session	650.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
TOTAL SECTION NO. 3	\$351,950.00

TOTALS—Expenses, Budget & Budget Balance at \$777,750.00

Imperial Sir and Representatives. I ask the approval for the total appropriations of the amount of \$777,750.00. It comes to you with the recommendation of all members of the Finance and Accounts Committee of the Iowa Corporation. I so move.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the report of the Chairman of the Finance and Accounts Committee of the Iowa Corporation. (*Motion seconded*) Will you discuss the motion?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor of the adoption please signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. It is adopted.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Imperial Sir and Representatives. You will notice that I did not discuss with you up to now the matter of anticipated income. In Chicago we anticipated \$606,934.00. The figure today is \$607,842.10 so far as we can determine. Subtracting this from the appropriations you have just approved of \$777,750.00 leaves a deficit of \$169,907.90.

Imperial Sir, I move that the Central Office, the Treasurer, anyone else who is responsible, will proceed to take from general fund surplus \$169,907.90 so as we leave this meeting we do not proceed under anticipated deficit.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you heard the motion to take this amount from surplus. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: Those figures include the raise in per capita?

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: On the old By-laws you have \$63,000.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: I mean your figures include this thing passed yesterday with the 50 cent increase?

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Fifty cents increase approved yesterday will not come into possession of our records until January 1, 1966.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: That clears all I wanted to know.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Any other questions? All those in favor of the adoption of the resolution please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is adopted.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Imperial Sir and Representatives. The initial estimated income and expenses for the calendar year 1965. Would you like to have me read these items? They are substantially in most cases the same as read on the appropriations total.

VOICES: No! No! Let's have the total.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: The total for operations and Imperial Session and so forth is \$718,050. It is less than 1964 because we do not anticipate at this date any comparable expense such as Parade to Glory, that \$50,000, and the addition to the Membership.

(Here follows the proposed budget for 1965.)

Expense Budget

SECTION NO. 1—ADMINISTRATIVE & GENERAL
OPERATING EXPENSE

	Suggested Budget for 1964
Imperial Potentate's Contingent Fund	\$ 32,500.00
Imperial Treasurer's Salary (as provided by By-laws of Iowa Corp.)	5,000.00
Imperial Treasurer's Secretarial Allowance	3,500.00
Imperial Recorder's Salary (as provided by By-laws of Iowa Corp.)	9,000.00
Assistant Imperial Recorder's Salary	4,800.00
Imperial Recorder's Office Salaries	38,000.00*
Legal Fees & Expense—General Counsel (amount paid by Iowa Corp.)	6,000.00
Auditing Fees	2,000.00
Stationery, Supplies & Printing	27,000.00
Communications: Postage, Telephone, etc.	7,600.00
Travel Expense: Imperial Recorder & Potentate's Emissaries	10,000.00
Surety Bonds & Insurance	4,000.00
Employees' Social Security Tax	3,000.00
Employees Pensions	3,000.00
*See page 216 for supplemental report from additional \$20,000.	
Other General Expenses: Office Equipment, Maintenance & Miscellaneous	\$ 6,000.00
Building Expense:	
Maintenance	30,000.00
Insurance	1,500.00
Depreciation	23,500.00
Imperial Divan & Board of Directors Meetings	21,000.00
Committee Expense:	
Imperial Session	500.00
Jurisprudence & Laws	7,000.00
Jurisdictional Lines	300.00
Membership	15,000.00
Special Committees	7,000.00
	<u>29,800.00</u>
TOTAL SECTION NO. 1	\$267,200.00

SECTION NO. 2—OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES

Public Relations	\$ 65,000.00
Donations to Order of DeMolay	10,000.00
Shrine Rooms Maintenance	25,000.00
Shrine Rooms Renovation	10,000.00
Flowers	200.00
Jewels: Imperial Officers—Repairs & Issues	1,500.00
Past Imperial Potentate's Flags	200.00
TOTAL SECTION NO. 2	<u>\$111,900.00</u>

SECTION NO. 3—ANNUAL SESSIONS EXPENSE

Mileage & Per Diem	\$347,000.00
Badges	1,300.00
Headquarters	3,000.00
Reporting Annual Session	650.00
Miscellaneous	500.00
TOTAL SECTION NO. 3	\$352,450.00

TOTALS—Expenses, Budget & Budget Balance at\$731,550.00

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Imperial Sir, I move that the appropriations totaling \$731,550 be approved. (*Motion seconded*). .

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Motion made and seconded. Will you discuss the motion?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is adopted.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Imperial Sir. Because of the explanation regarding the 50-cent per capita increase we have somewhat the same situation as to anticipated income for 1965. Your Finance Committee recommends the acceptance of \$615,600 as the total anticipated revenue. That does not include the 50-cent per capita. Subtracting that from the appropriation you just approved of \$731,550, leaves a deficit of \$115,950. Since we will not meet in a body until a year from now I would like to move, Sir, a similar resolution providing for the removal of \$115,950 from general fund surplus so that we have at the start enough to balance the appropriations you have approved.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: I would like to second that just to show that I understand what you are doing.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, John.

Nobles, you have heard the proposal to take this out of surplus. This is in relation to the 1965 budget next year. Will you remark? Any question?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is adopted.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: The report is not signed as yet because of the last minute changes, but it is approved by the Finance Committee members. With good luck in 1966 we can pour something back into surplus. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I have another Committee to report here. I think you might be interested in their recommendations. It has been leaked to me a little bit. I am going to call on the Chairman of the Mileage and Per Diem Committee, Harvey Beffa.

NOBLE HARVEY A. BEFFA: In order to save time would the members of my Committee stand up, please, Mileage and Per Diem? You know we had a meeting yesterday and then something happened after our meeting and I would ask you as

your Chairman to grant me the permission for this Mileage and Per Diem Committee to change where it is \$30 to \$35, and 20 cents to 25 cents, and with your permission I will present it on that basis. Thank you. If you don't have it we are all going to be in a fix. (*Laughter*) (*Reading*)

To: The Imperial Potentate and Officers
and Members of the Imperial Council

As provided in Article V, Sections 25 and 26 of the By-Laws and Code of the Imperial Council, your Committee on Mileage and Per Diem, in keeping with the law, recommends for those entitled to receive pay, twenty-five cents (25¢) per mile one way by the shortest route available from the locations of their Temples to New York City, New York, as compiled by the Association of Railroads' short line routes, and per diem expenses at the rate of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) for each day of the four days' attendance at the Ninetieth (90th) Annual Session of the Imperial Council.

All members of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws shall receive Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) per day for four (4) extra days. All members of the Constitutional Revision Committee shall receive Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) per day for six (6) extra days. All members of the Committee on Finance and Accounts shall receive Thirty-five (\$35.00) per day for three (3) extra days. All members of the Dispensations and Charters Committee shall receive Thirty-five (\$35.00) per day for three (3) extra days. All members of the Jurisdictional Lines Committee shall receive Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) per day for one (1) extra day. All members of the Grievances and Appeals Committee shall receive Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) per day for three (3) extra days. All members of the Membership Committee shall receive Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) per day for one (1) extra day.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE AND PER DIEM

HARVEY A. BEFFA, *Chairman*

PAUL A. CHEVALLARD

ROBERT W. GALE

T. HUBERT DEWEES

LLOYD H. GRIGGS

B. HOWARD SCHAFFER

ERMAN L. DUTCHER

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

PAYROLL AND REPORT
 COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE AND PER DIEM
 1964 IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION
 NEW YORK CITY, JULY 21, 22, 23 AND 24

Check No.	Temple, Location and Representative	Miles Traveled	Total Mileage	Total Per Diem	Grand Total
AAD TEMPLE					
Duluth, Minnesota					
64001	George A. Borgeson	1,376	344.00	140.00	484.00
64002	Raymond H. Erickson	1,376	344.00	140.00	484.00
64003	Palmer N. Hegvold	1,376	344.00	140.00	484.00
64004	James P. Crawford	1,376	344.00	140.00	484.00
AAHMES TEMPLE					
Oakland, California					
64005	Herman L. Engelhardt	3,168	792.00	140.00	932.00
64006	John G. Kelly	3,168	792.00	140.00	932.00
64007	Fred E. Anderson	3,168	792.00	140.00	932.00
64008	William G. MacKay	3,168	792.00	140.00	932.00
64009	Robert H. Fouke	3,168	792.00	280.00	1,072.00
ABBA TEMPLE					
Mobile, Alabama					
64010	Jewell Boone	1,219	304.75	140.00	444.75
64011	Ralph H. Thurman	1,219	304.75	140.00	444.75
64012	J. S. "Bud" Womack, Jr.	1,219	304.75	140.00	444.75
64013	Thomas E. Hoiles	1,219	304.75	140.00	444.75
ABDALLAH TEMPLE					
Kansas City, Kansas					
64014	Don V. Williams	1,379	344.75	140.00	484.75
64015	Donald E. Schulze	1,379	344.75	140.00	484.75
64016	Howard O. Jobs	1,379	344.75	140.00	484.75
64017	John W. Mullinix	1,379	344.75	140.00	484.75
ABOU BEN ADHEM TEMPLE					
Springfield, Mo.					
64018	W. Harold Owen	1,290	322.50	140.00	462.50
64019	Edmund C. Forehand	1,290	322.50	140.00	462.50
64020	B. J. Hart	1,290	322.50	140.00	462.50
64021	Dru D. Salveter	1,290	322.50	140.00	462.50
ABOU SAAD TEMPLE					
Panama Canal Zone					
64022	Richard G. Taylor	2,939	734.75	140.00	874.75
64023	Ralph K. Frangioni	2,939	734.75	140.00	874.75
64024	William H. Munyon	2,939	734.75	140.00	874.75
64025	Harland V. Howard	2,939	734.75	140.00	874.75
64026	Robert T. Russell	2,939	734.75	140.00	874.75
ABU BEKR TEMPLE					
Sioux City, Iowa					
64027	Richard Dove	1,422	355.50	140.00	495.50
64028	Ralph Heaton	1,422	355.50	140.00	495.50
64029	Robert Whiteside	1,422	355.50	140.00	495.50
64030	Denver Krall	1,422	355.50	140.00	495.50
ACCA TEMPLE					
Richmond, Virginia					
64031	Remmie L. Arnold, Sr.	343	85.75	140.00	225.75
64032	Joe T. Mizell, Jr.	343	85.75	140.00	225.75
64033	Archer B. Gay	343	85.75	140.00	225.75
64034	William C. Seibert	343	85.75	140.00	225.75
64035	Henry J. Brown	343	85.75	140.00	225.75
64036	William W. Hitchens	343	85.75	140.00	225.75
AFIFI TEMPLE					
Tacoma, Wash.					
64037	Chester A. Hogan	3,115	778.75	140.00	918.75
64038	Harold W. Meyer	3,115	778.75	140.00	918.75

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64039	Walter Hogan	3,115	778.75	140.00	918.75
64040	John D. Cochran	3,115	778.75	140.00	918.75
64041	Cecil B. Walrath	3,115	778.75	140.00	918.75
AHMED TEMPLE					
Marquette, Michigan					
64042	Kenneth E. Bakkum	1,285	321.25	140.00	461.25
64043	Harry W. Gjelsteen	1,285	321.25	140.00	461.25
64044	Robert L. Bouschor	1,285	321.25	140.00	461.25
64045	Brodie C. Westen	1,285	321.25	140.00	461.25
AINAD TEMPLE					
East St. Louis, Ill.					
64046	Louis Chackes	1,048	262.00	245.00	507.00
64047	Wyatt Rawlings	1,048	262.00	140.00	402.00
64048	Francis D. Conner	1,048	262.00	140.00	402.00
64049	Lloyd E. Turnbull	1,048	262.00	140.00	402.00
64050	Jesse C. Nichols, Jr.	1,048	262.00	140.00	402.00
AKDAR TEMPLE					
Tulsa, Oklahoma					
64051	Robert T. Gow	1,476	369.00	140.00	509.00
64052	B. W. Vetter	1,476	369.00	245.00	614.00
64053	Howard Cowan	1,476	369.00	140.00	509.00
64054	Charles H. Rosenberger ..	1,476	369.00	140.00	509.00
64055	E. Tom Williams	1,476	369.00	140.00	509.00
64056	Perry W. Ward	1,476	369.00	140.00	509.00
ALADDIN TEMPLE					
Columbus, Ohio					
64057	Earl J. Brothers	631	157.75	140.00	297.75
64058	Homer C. Heiser	631	157.75	140.00	297.75
64059	Benjamin L. Collins	631	157.75	140.00	297.75
64060	Clarence W. England	631	157.75	140.00	297.75
AL AZHAR TEMPLE					
Calgary, Alberta, Canada					
64061	Marshall M. Porter	2,473	618.25	140.00	758.25
64062	W. Ralph Pepper	2,473	618.25	140.00	758.25
64063	S. J. Parkinson	2,473	618.25	140.00	758.25
64064	E. J. "Ted" Brookes	2,473	618.25	140.00	758.25
64065	Ralph Nelson	2,473	618.25	140.00	758.25
AL BAHR TEMPLE					
San Diego, Cal.					
64066	Robert "Bud" James	3,263	815.75	140.00	955.75
64067	George E. Bryans	3,263	815.75	140.00	955.75
64068	Howard M. Long	3,263	815.75	140.00	955.75
64069	Delavan J. Dickson	3,263	815.75	140.00	955.75
AL BEDOO TEMPLE					
Billings, Montana					
64070	Carl A. Rahn	2,218	554.50	140.00	694.50
64071	L. David Coon	2,218	554.50	140.00	694.50
64072	L. Wayne Hageman	2,218	554.50	140.00	694.50
64073	Harold J. Fraser	2,218	554.50	140.00	694.50
64074	Fred M. Bourke	2,218	554.50	140.00	694.50
ALCAZAR TEMPLE					
Montgomery, Ala.					
64075	Vernon K. Shriner	1,040	260.00	140.00	400.00
64076	William E. Goodwin	1,040	260.00	140.00	400.00
64077	Stephen P. Riales	1,040	260.00	140.00	400.00
64078	R. Pep Powell	1,040	260.00	140.00	400.00
AL CHYMIA TEMPLE					
Memphis, Tenn.					
64079	George M. Klepper	1,160	290.00	140.00	430.00
64080	John B. Vesey	1,160	290.00	140.00	430.00
64081	Richard S. Guenther	1,160	290.00	140.00	430.00
64082	George R. Holley	1,160	290.00	140.00	430.00
64083	Isaac M. Bilsky	1,160	290.00	140.00	430.00
64084	Rufus E. Craven	1,160	290.00	140.00	430.00
ALEE TEMPLE					
Savannah, Georgia					
64085	George E. Oliver	852	213.00	140.00	353.00

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64086	J. Curtis Lewis, Jr.	852	213.00	140.00	353.00
64087	J. H. Jarrott, Jr.	852	213.00	140.00	353.00
64088	Rochell B. Davis	852	213.00	140.00	353.00
ALEPPO TEMPLE					
Boston, Mass.					
64089	Edgar L. Turner	229	57.25	140.00	197.25
64090	Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr.	229	57.25	140.00	197.25
64091	Willard P. Lombard	229	57.25	140.00	197.25
64092	Harvey B. Leggee	229	57.25	245.00	302.25
64093	Clarence C. Young	229	57.25	140.00	197.25
64094	William A. Odell	229	57.25	140.00	197.25
64095	Carl R. MacKenney	229	57.25	140.00	197.25
64096	Herbert N. Faulkner	229	57.25	140.00	197.25
ALGERIA TEMPLE					
Helena, Montana					
64097	William K. Converse	2,456	614.00	140.00	754.00
64098	John C. Hawke	2,456	614.00	140.00	754.00
64099	John Zoller	2,456	614.00	140.00	754.00
64100	Roy O. Johnson	2,456	614.00	140.00	754.00
64101	Roy W. Page	2,456	614.00	140.00	754.00
ALHAMBRA TEMPLE					
Chattanooga, Tenn.					
64102	Harold E. Brown	846	211.50	140.00	351.50
64103	David B. Soloff	846	211.50	140.00	351.50
64104	Robert E. Cooper	846	211.50	140.00	351.50
64105	C. L. Faulkner	846	211.50	140.00	351.50
ALI GHAN TEMPLE					
Cumberland, Md.					
64106	C. William Hetzer	371	92.75	140.00	232.75
64107	J. Wallace Close	371	92.75	140.00	232.75
64108	Woodward D. Pealer	371	92.75	140.00	232.75
64109	Winfield H. Adam	371	92.75	140.00	232.75
AL KADER TEMPLE					
Portland, Oregon					
64110	Lyle W. Hammack	3,180	795.00	140.00	935.00
64111	George W. McMurphey	3,180	795.00	140.00	935.00
64112	W. W. Youngson, Jr.	3,180	795.00	140.00	935.00
64113	Kenneth B. Hall	3,180	795.00	245.00	1,040.00
AL KALY TEMPLE					
Pueblo, Colorado					
64114	Harold Florman	1,952	488.00	140.00	628.00
64115	W. F. Griffin	1,952	488.00	140.00	628.00
64116	Harry A. Taylor	1,952	488.00	140.00	628.00
64117	Kenneth J. Edwards, Jr.	1,952	488.00	140.00	628.00
AL KORAN TEMPLE					
Cleveland, Ohio					
64118	Charles G. White	578	144.50	140.00	284.50
64119	Clarke H. Joy	578	144.50	140.00	284.50
64120	John T. Wolfenden	578	144.50	140.00	284.50
64121	Henry D. Thomas	578	144.50	140.00	284.50
64122	Paul A. Chevallard	578	144.50	140.00	284.50
AL MALAIKAH TEMPLE					
Los Angeles, Cal.					
64123	C. P. MacGregor	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
64124	Harold Lloyd	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
64126	Mark T. Gates	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
64127	John Rounsaville	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
64128	Elmer P. Bromley	3,135	783.75	280.00	1,063.75
64129	Roger E. Murdock	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
ALMAS TEMPLE					
Washington, D. C.					
64130	Leonard P. Stuart	226	56.50	140.00	196.50
64131	Frederick Wilken	226	56.50	140.00	196.50
64132	Howard P. Foley	226	56.50	140.00	196.50
64133	William J. Mileham	226	56.50	245.00	301.50
64134	Bernard D. Cooper	226	56.50	140.00	196.50
64135	William J. Liverman	226	56.50	140.00	196.50
64136	Harry Martens, Jr.	226	56.50	140.00	196.50

AL MENAH TEMPLE

Nashville, Tenn.

64137	Jack Norman, Jr.	952	238.00	140.00	378.00
64138	Albert G. Bennett	952	238.00	140.00	378.00
64139	Clyde R. Watson	952	238.00	140.00	378.00
64140	John D. Whalley	952	238.00	140.00	378.00

ALOHA TEMPLE

Honolulu, Hawaii

64141	William A. Boyen	5,264	1,316.00	245.00	1,561.00
64142	Donald J. Crockett	5,264	1,316.00	140.00	1,456.00
64143	Darrell H. Puckett	5,264	1,316.00	140.00	1,456.00
64144	Richard H. Rice	5,264	1,316.00	140.00	1,456.00

AL SIHAH TEMPLE

Macon, Georgia

64145	Nat W. Massey	921	230.25	140.00	370.25
64146	James S. Jones	921	230.25	140.00	370.25
64147	Joe A. Witherington	921	230.25	140.00	370.25
64148	Gordon E. Ellington	921	230.25	140.00	370.25

ALZAFAR TEMPLE

San Antonio, Texas

64149	Jack B. Lee	1,974	493.50	140.00	633.50
64150	Robert B. O'Connor	1,974	493.50	140.00	633.50
64151	Fred W. Smith, Jr.	1,974	493.50	140.00	633.50
64152	William C. Young	1,974	493.50	140.00	633.50

ANAH TEMPLE

Bangor, Maine

64153	Sheldon F. Goldthwait	479	119.75	140.00	259.75
64154	Henry P. Cushman	479	119.75	140.00	259.75
64155	Roy U. Sinclair	479	119.75	140.00	259.75
64156	Frederic E. Perkins	479	119.75	140.00	259.75

ANEZEH TEMPLE

Mexico City, Mexico

64157	Barney W. Collins	2,931	732.75	140.00	872.75
64158	Emilio D'Acosta	2,931	732.75	140.00	872.75
64159	J. R. (Tom) Tomlinson	2,931	732.75	140.00	872.75
64160	Roderick H. Tofflemire	2,931	732.75	140.00	872.75
64161	J. Weldon Thomas	2,931	732.75	140.00	872.75

ANSAR TEMPLE

Springfield, Illinois

64162	G. Wilbur Bell	1,093	273.25	140.00	413.25
64163	William R. Schnirring, Jr.	1,093	273.25	140.00	413.25
64164	Joseph B. Dudley	1,093	273.25	140.00	413.25
64165	Charles W. Brosch, Jr.	1,093	273.25	140.00	413.25

ANTIOCH TEMPLE

Dayton, Ohio

64166	E. Raymond Arn	702	175.50	140.00	315.50
64167	Kenneth D. Arn, M.D.	702	175.50	140.00	315.50
64168	Loy D. Johnston	702	175.50	140.00	315.50
64169	Roland E. St. John	702	175.50	140.00	315.50

ARAB TEMPLE

Topeka, Kansas

64170	Roy W. Jaquith	1,424	356.00	140.00	496.00
64171	L. Keith Murry	1,424	356.00	140.00	496.00
64172	Lloyd E. Cobb	1,424	356.00	140.00	496.00
64173	J. Lewis Coffelt	1,424	356.00	140.00	496.00

ARABIA TEMPLE

Houston, Texas

64174	Paul A. Nelson	1,867	466.75	140.00	606.75
64175	Miles Strickland	1,867	466.75	140.00	606.75
64176	Lloyd L. Brightman	1,867	466.75	140.00	606.75
64177	Carl T. Denson, Jr.	1,867	466.75	140.00	606.75

ARARAT TEMPLE

Kansas City, Mo.

64178	George M. Saunders	1,359	339.75	140.00	479.75
64179	W. Baker Browning	1,359	339.75	140.00	479.75
64180	Edward L. Bittner	1,359	339.75	140.00	479.75

64181	Harry C. Newcomer, Jr.	1,359	339.75	140.00	479.75
64182	Richard W. Farris	1,359	339.75	140.00	479.75
BAGDAD TEMPLE					
Butte, Montana					
64183	Alfred O. Olsen	2,430	607.50	140.00	747.50
64184	A. Kendrick Smith	2,430	607.50	140.00	747.50
64185	Walter S. Jorgensen	2,430	607.50	140.00	747.50
64186	E. George Craine	2,430	607.50	140.00	747.50
BAHIA TEMPLE					
Orlando, Fla.					
64187	Harold H. Kastner	1,147	286.75	140.00	426.75
64188	Fred B. Turner	1,147	286.75	175.00	461.75
64189	J. D. Hill	1,147	286.75	140.00	426.75
64190	Charles V. Snapp, Jr.	1,147	286.75	140.00	426.75
BALLUT ABYAD TEMPLE					
Albuquerque, N.M.					
64191	Charles H. Lembke	2,246	561.50	140.00	701.50
64192	Everett M. Grantham	2,246	561.50	140.00	701.50
64193	Paul C. Sackett	2,246	561.50	140.00	701.50
64194	A. Earl Bullis	2,246	561.50	140.00	701.50
64195	Harry R. Eaves	2,246	561.50	140.00	701.50
BEDOUIV TEMPLE					
Muskogee, Okla.					
64196	E. E. (Bob) Easton	1,554	388.50	140.00	528.50
64197	Eddie Parker	1,554	388.50	140.00	528.50
64198	L. H. Hammond	1,554	388.50	140.00	528.50
64199	Ora W. Lamb	1,554	388.50	140.00	528.50
BEKTASH TEMPLE					
Concord, N. H.					
64200	F. Lawrence Bulfinch	302	75.50	140.00	215.50
64201	William B. Artz	302	75.50	140.00	215.50
64202	Charles H. Gay	302	75.50	140.00	215.50
64203	Ralph W. Smith	302	75.50	140.00	215.50
64204	Alexander J. LeLoup	302	75.50	140.00	215.50
BEN ALI TEMPLE					
Sacramento, Cal.					
64205	Ward R. Sterling	3,080	770.00	245.00	1,015.00
64206	John N. Clark	3,080	770.00	140.00	910.00
64207	Gerald C. McKinley	3,080	770.00	140.00	910.00
64208	Charles E. Desenfants	3,080	770.00	140.00	910.00
BEN HUR TEMPLE					
Austin, Texas					
64209	Marshall V. Turner	1,801	450.25	140.00	590.25
64210	B. Rex Shields	1,801	450.25	140.00	590.25
64211	J. T. Browning	1,801	450.25	140.00	590.25
64212	J. Carroll Hinsley	1,801	450.25	140.00	590.25
BENI KEDEM TEMPLE					
Charleston, W. Va.					
64214	Graves H. Trumbo	613	153.25	140.00	293.25
64215	Harry B. Lambert	613	153.25	140.00	293.25
64216	Virgil F. Frizzel	613	153.25	245.00	398.25
64217	Dewey E. S. Kuhns	613	153.25	140.00	293.25
BOUMI TEMPLE					
Baltimore, Maryland					
64218	George J. Murphy	186	46.50	140.00	186.50
64219	George A. Bratt, Jr.	186	46.50	140.00	186.50
64220	C. Maxwell Armor, Jr.	186	46.50	140.00	186.50
64221	Robert A. Phelps	186	46.50	140.00	186.50
CAIRO TEMPLE					
Rutland, Vermont					
64222	Peter Val Preda	233	58.25	140.00	198.25
64223	J. Malcolm Williams	233	58.25	140.00	198.25
64224	Hugo W. Melen	233	58.25	140.00	198.25
64225	Edward S. Pike	233	58.25	140.00	198.25

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CALAM TEMPLE

Lewiston, Idaho

64226	J. Harley Ferris	2,967	741.75	140.00	881.75
64227	Alton T. Kauffman	2,967	741.75	140.00	881.75
64228	Glenn W. Henderson	2,967	741.75	140.00	881.75
64229	Elmer E. Nelson	2,967	741.75	140.00	881.75

CRESCENT TEMPLE

Trenton, N. J.

64230	George E. Stringfellow	58	14.50	140.00	154.50
64231	Arthur E. Armitage, Sr.	58	14.50	140.00	154.50
64232	Edward J. Scudder	58	14.50	140.00	154.50
64233	Nelson B. Hansbury, Jr.	58	14.50	140.00	154.50
64234	Edmund D. Bowman	58	14.50	140.00	154.50
64235	Arthur E. Armitage, Jr.	58	14.50	140.00	154.50
64236	Walter S. Jeffries, Jr.	58	14.50	140.00	154.50

CYPRUS TEMPLE

Albany, New York

64237	Fred A. Nicholson	143	35.75	140.00	175.75
64238	Robert W. Gale	143	35.75	140.00	175.75
64239	Erwin W. Milstrey, Sr.	143	35.75	140.00	175.75
64240	Randall W. Vaughn	143	35.75	140.00	175.75
64241	Arthur L. Royael	143	35.75	140.00	175.75

DAMASCUS TEMPLE

Rochester, N. Y.

64242	A. Elmer Raithel	393	98.25	140.00	238.25
64243	W. Marvin Rowe	393	98.25	140.00	238.25
64244	Harley C. Smith	393	98.25	140.00	238.25
64245	Charles B. Benedict	393	98.25	140.00	238.25
64246	O. Deane Erwood	393	98.25	140.00	238.25

EGYPT TEMPLE

Tampa, Fla.

64247	R. S. Lang	1,227	306.75	140.00	446.75
64248	W. Bruce Kerr	1,227	306.75	140.00	446.75
64249	Raleigh W. Milian	1,227	306.75	140.00	446.75
64250	Robert R. Hicks	1,227	306.75	140.00	446.75

EL BEKAL TEMPLE

Long Beach, Cal.

64251	Roy T. Reynolds	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
64252	Leroy H. Crager	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
64253	H. C. "Hal" LeManquais	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75
64254	Roy A. Hopkins	3,135	783.75	140.00	923.75

ELF KHURAFEH TEMPLE

Saginaw, Mich.

64255	Dale W. Williams	737	184.25	140.00	324.25
64256	Charles A. McLeod, Jr.	737	184.25	140.00	324.25
64257	Russell H. Smith	737	184.25	140.00	324.25
64258	Marc Stern	737	184.25	140.00	324.25

EL HASA TEMPLE

Ashland, Kentucky

64259	Bill E. Barnett	679	169.75	140.00	309.75
64260	Douglas P. Roberts	679	169.75	140.00	309.75
64261	Delbert Rowe	679	169.75	140.00	309.75
64262	Edward Hubbs	679	169.75	140.00	309.75

EL JEBEL TEMPLE

Denver, Colorado

64263	Lewis S. Parsons	1,942	485.50	245.00	730.50
64264	Richard H. Martin	1,942	485.50	140.00	625.50
64265	Charles T. Gore	1,942	485.50	140.00	625.50
64266	Arthur W. Hiner, Jr.	1,942	485.50	140.00	625.50
64267	Mortie E. Blunn	1,942	485.50	140.00	625.50

EL KAHIR TEMPLE

Cedar Rapids, Iowa

64269	T. Hubert De Wees	1,127	281.75	140.00	421.75
64270	Donald J. Fishel	1,127	281.75	140.00	421.75
64271	Richard F. Brisbin	1,127	281.75	140.00	421.75
64272	Lawrence V. Libert	1,127	281.75	140.00	421.75

EL KALAH TEMPLE

	Salt Lake City, Utah				
64273	Lincoln G. Kelly	2,422	605.50	245.00	850.50
64274	Elmer A. Vail	2,422	605.50	140.00	745.50
64275	Maurice P. Grefoz	2,422	605.50	140.00	745.50
64276	Gail F. Bywater	2,422	605.50	140.00	745.50
64277	C. Leander Prisk	2,422	605.50	140.00	745.50

EL KARUBAH TEMPLE

	Shreveport, La.				
64278	John A. Walden	1,620	405.00	140.00	545.00
64279	Fred W. Hoffmann	1,620	405.00	140.00	545.00
64280	M. A. Ehrhardt	1,620	405.00	140.00	545.00
64281	Wayne W. Gray	1,620	405.00	140.00	545.00
64282	E. D. (Ed) Clark	1,620	405.00	140.00	545.00

EL KATIF TEMPLE

	Spokane, Wash.				
64283	Elmer C. Morlan	2,831	707.75	140.00	847.75
64284	Arnold E. Carle	2,831	707.75	140.00	847.75
64285	Roy J. Johnson	2,831	707.75	140.00	847.75
64286	Rudy E. Vida	2,831	707.75	140.00	847.75

EL KORAH TEMPLE

	Boise, Idaho				
64287	J. Harry Hopffgarten	2,689	672.25	140.00	812.25
64288	Herbert H. Eberle	2,689	672.25	140.00	812.25
64289	Gayle L. McAtee	2,689	672.25	140.00	812.25
64290	Wallace A. Wilcox	2,689	672.25	140.00	812.25
64291	Stanley J. Jones	2,689	672.25	140.00	812.25

EL MAIDA TEMPLE

	El Paso, Texas				
64292	Frankie L. Cochran	2,292	573.00	140.00	713.00
64293	Henry L. Taylor	2,292	573.00	140.00	713.00
64294	Franklin C. Quinn	2,292	573.00	140.00	713.00
64295	W. Fred Casey	2,292	573.00	140.00	713.00

EL MINA TEMPLE

	Galveston, Texas				
64296	Munger T. Ball	1,916	479.00	140.00	619.00
64297	Archie M. Crow, Jr.	1,916	479.00	140.00	619.00
64298	Henry G. Malmgren	1,916	479.00	140.00	619.00
64299	O. C. Norris	1,916	479.00	140.00	619.00
64300	John H. Terry	1,916	479.00	140.00	619.00

EL RIAD TEMPLE

	Sioux Falls, S. Dak.				
64301	Albert E. Egger	1,512	378.00	140.00	518.00
64302	Forrest W. Conger	1,512	378.00	140.00	518.00
64303	Wendell C. Fritz	1,512	378.00	140.00	518.00
64304	George W. Elmen	1,512	378.00	140.00	518.00

EL ZAGAL TEMPLE

	Fargo, N. Dak.				
64305	Glen F. Nelson	1,587	396.75	140.00	536.75
64306	Edward V. Lahr, Jr.	1,587	396.75	140.00	536.75
64307	Frank Hull	1,587	396.75	140.00	536.75
64308	George V. Ellis	1,587	396.75	140.00	536.75

EL ZARIBAH TEMPLE

	Phoenix, Ariz.				
64309	William R. Schnorr	2,717	679.25	140.00	819.25
64310	Jesse W. Angle	2,717	679.25	140.00	819.25
64311	George Beeler	2,717	679.25	140.00	819.25
64312	John W. Harmon	2,717	679.25	140.00	819.25

GIZEH TEMPLE

	Vancouver, B.C.				
64313	C. Raymond. Bowell	3,251	812.75	140.00	952.75
64314	E. Clayton Goodman	3,251	812.75	140.00	952.75
64315	Jack M. Streight	3,251	812.75	140.00	952.75
64316	Arthur Hamilton	3,251	812.75	140.00	952.75

HADI TEMPLE

	Evansville, Ind.				
64318	William C. Stranding, DDS	981	245.25	140.00	385.25

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64319	Edgar L. Schroer	981	245.25	140.00	385.25
64320	Abe L. Krause, Jr.	981	245.25	140.00	385.25
64321	C. Ray Reynolds	981	245.25	140.00	385.25
HAMASA TEMPLE					
Meridian, Miss.					
64322	Herman A. Shields	1,142	285.50	140.00	425.50
64323	Rudolph A. Posey	1,142	285.50	140.00	425.50
64324	Martin L. Gunn	1,142	285.50	140.00	425.50
64325	James T. Singley	1,142	285.50	140.00	425.50
HASAN TEMPLE					
Albany, Georgia					
64326	Rufus C. Johnson	1,031	257.75	140.00	397.75
64327	H. M. Barry	1,031	257.75	140.00	397.75
64328	Ruter E. Coleman	1,031	257.75	140.00	397.75
64329	Joe C. Howell	1,031	257.75	140.00	397.75
HEJAZ TEMPLE					
Greenville, S.C.					
64330	Geo. W. Phillips	711	177.75	140.00	317.75
64331	J. E. Bauknight, Jr.	711	177.75	140.00	317.75
64332	B. Jack Foster	711	177.75	140.00	317.75
64333	Walter L. Miller, Jr.	711	177.75	140.00	317.75
HELLA TEMPLE					
Dallas, Texas					
64334	Virgil M. Payne, Jr., M.D.	1,761	440.25	140.00	580.25
64335	Leon V. Shaw	1,761	440.25	140.00	580.25
64336	John McKee	1,761	440.25	140.00	580.25
64337	Dan Gauldin	1,761	440.25	140.00	580.25
HILLAH TEMPLE					
Ashland, Oregon					
64338	Lloyd H. Griggs	3,378	844.50	140.00	984.50
64339	John E. Blair	3,378	844.50	140.00	984.50
64340	George V. Dugan	3,378	844.50	140.00	984.50
64341	Lyndel W. Newbry	3,378	844.50	140.00	984.50
INDIA TEMPLE					
Oklahoma City, Okla.					
64342	Leslie H. Swan	1,593	398.25	245.00	643.25
64343	William Van Stuck	1,593	398.25	140.00	538.25
64344	Phil C. Bennett	1,593	398.25	140.00	538.25
64345	Hal S. Whitten	1,593	398.25	140.00	538.25
64346	Robt. F. Emanuel	1,593	398.25	140.00	538.25
IREM TEMPLE					
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.					
64347	Hopkin T. Rowlands	176	44.00	140.00	184.00
64348	Charles F. Cox	176	44.00	140.00	184.00
64349	William L. Hibbard	176	44.00	140.00	184.00
64350	Stewart Jones	176	44.00	140.00	184.00
ISIS TEMPLE					
Salina, Kansas					
64531	Vernon A. Webster	1,591	397.75	140.00	537.75
64352	John M. Molstad	1,591	397.75	140.00	537.75
64353	William C. Exline	1,591	397.75	140.00	537.75
64354	Herbert N. Holland	1,591	397.75	140.00	537.75
ISLAM TEMPLE					
San Francisco, Cal.					
64356	Ernest C. Hueter	3,172	793.00	140.00	933.00
64357	Lowell E. Braden	3,172	793.00	245.00	1,038.00
64358	Paul R. Manning	3,172	793.00	140.00	933.00
64359	George P. Thomas	3,172	793.00	140.00	933.00
64360	Walter R. Castro, Jr.	3,172	793.00	175.00	968.00
ISMAILIA TEMPLE					
Buffalo, N. Y.					
64361	Henry P. Bronkie	436	109.00	245.00	354.00
64362	Jerome S. Stinson	436	109.00	140.00	249.00
64363	Henry Z. Lang, Jr.	436	109.00	140.00	249.00
64364	James D. Seatter	436	109.00	140.00	249.00
64365	Harry W. Hutton	436	109.00	140.00	249.00

JAFFA TEMPLE

	Altoona, Pa.				
64366	A. Othello Curtis	326	81.50	140.00	221.50
64367	Thomas M. Treese	326	81.50	140.00	221.50
64368	James F. Bragg	326	81.50	140.00	221.50
64369	Dwight R. Helsel	326	81.50	140.00	221.50

JERUSALEM TEMPLE

	New Orleans, La.				
64370	Earl H. Smith	1,345	336.25	140.00	476.25
64371	Richard A. Dowling	1,345	336.25	140.00	476.25
64372	Michel Caplan	1,345	336.25	140.00	476.25
64373	Vincent Maniscalco	1,345	336.25	140.00	476.25

KAABA TEMPLE

	Davenport, Iowa				
64374	Clarence A. Lay	1,091	272.75	140.00	412.75
64375	Earl R. Ackerman	1,091	272.75	140.00	412.75
64376	Raymond F. Knecht	1,091	272.75	140.00	412.75
64377	William W. Brubaker	1,091	272.75	140.00	412.75
64378	Paul B. McCray	1,091	272.75	175.00	447.75

KALIF TEMPLE

	Sheridan, Wyoming				
64379	Joseph D. Pelesky	2,158	539.50	140.00	679.50
64380	Carl G. Ralston	2,158	539.50	140.00	679.50
64381	G. Ray Coulson	2,158	539.50	140.00	679.50
64382	William J. Donnelly	2,158	539.50	140.00	679.50

KALURAH TEMPLE

	Binghamton, N. Y.				
64383	L. Pierce Hotchkiss	207	51.75	140.00	191.75
64384	Creighton E. Wray	207	51.75	140.00	191.75
64385	Lynn N. Peterson	207	51.75	140.00	191.75
64386	J. Raymond Price	207	51.75	140.00	191.75

KAREM TEMPLE

	Waco, Texas				
64387	William F. Quebe	1,871	467.75	140.00	607.75
64388	John R. Rogers	1,871	467.75	140.00	607.75
64389	Arthur J. Williams, Jr.	1,871	467.75	140.00	607.75
64390	A. C. Hicks	1,871	467.75	140.00	607.75
64391	Bill R. Baggett	1,871	467.75	140.00	607.75

KARNAK TEMPLE

	Montreal, Quebec				
64392	John W. Tolson	384	96.00	140.00	236.00
64393	Walter E. Montgomery	384	96.00	140.00	236.00
64394	Robert M. McCarrell	384	96.00	140.00	236.00
64395	J. Fraser Ritchie	384	96.00	140.00	236.00

KAZIM TEMPLE

	Roanoke, Va.				
64396	William C. Vaughan	452	113.00	140.00	253.00
64397	Thomas S. Fox	452	113.00	140.00	253.00
64398	Orvin M. Miles	452	113.00	140.00	253.00
64399	Aubrey B. Burton	452	113.00	140.00	253.00

KEM TEMPLE

	Grand Forks, N. D.				
64400	Jerome S. Lamont	1,655	413.75	140.00	553.75
64401	L. Yale Gooden	1,655	413.75	140.00	553.75
64402	Marvin D. Hoffman	1,655	413.75	140.00	553.75
64403	Robert K. Dodson	1,655	413.75	140.00	553.75

KENA TEMPLE

	Alexandria, Va.				
64404	Orville F. Rush	231	57.75	140.00	197.75
64405	Edward E. Buckley	231	57.75	140.00	197.75
64406	John E. Posey	231	57.75	140.00	197.75
64407	Hyman Brenner	231	57.75	140.00	197.75

KERAK TEMPLE

	Reno, Nevada				
64409	Andre J. Stienne	2,926	731.50	140.00	871.50
64410	Lester A. Conklin	2,926	731.50	140.00	871.50
64411	Edward Pine	2,926	731.50	140.00	871.50
64412	Merwyn H. Brown	2,926	731.50	280.00	1,011.50

KERBELA TEMPLE				
Knoxville, Tenn.				
64413	Robert H. Bailey	735	183.75	140.00
64414	Thomas W. McDowell	735	183.75	140.00
64415	Paul R. Phelps	735	183.75	140.00
64416	Avery Norris	735	183.75	140.00
KHARTUM TEMPLE				
Winnipeg, Man., Can.				
64417	James A. Ogden	1,792	448.00	140.00
64418	Lloyd D. McPhail	1,792	448.00	140.00
64419	Sydney W. Foreman	1,792	448.00	140.00
64420	Michael A. Petlow	1,792	448.00	140.00
KHEDIVE TEMPLE				
Norfolk, Va.				
64421	Aubrey C. Graham	347	86.75	140.00
64422	Melvin T. Blassingham	347	86.75	140.00
64423	Jerry T. Batts, Jr.	347	86.75	140.00
64424	Bernard C. Murden	347	86.75	140.00
64425	Raymond L. Woodall	347	86.75	140.00
64426	Jesse A. White	347	86.75	245.00
KHIVA TEMPLE				
Amarillo, Texas				
64427	C. A. (Bill) Holmes	1,918	479.50	140.00
64428	John M. Heket	1,918	479.50	140.00
64429	J. Henry Sears	1,918	479.50	105.00
64430	Al Whitaker	1,918	479.50	140.00
KISMET TEMPLE				
Brooklyn, N. Y.				
64431	William B. Falconer	-	-	140.00
64433	George A. Harken	-	-	140.00
64434	John F. Burlein	-	-	140.00
64435	Robert S. McCormack	-	-	140.00
64436	Frederick L. Kopff	-	-	140.00
KORA TEMPLE				
Lewiston, Maine				
64437	Carl M. Stiphen	379	94.75	140.00
64438	Paul L. Powers	379	94.75	140.00
64439	Walter L. Emerson, Jr.	379	94.75	140.00
64440	Francis W. McCurtain	379	94.75	140.00
KOREIN TEMPLE				
Rawlins, Wyoming				
64441	S. Ken Briggs	2,076	519.00	140.00
64442	Hilliard Ridgely	2,076	519.00	140.00
64443	L. E. "Barney" Harris	2,076	519.00	140.00
64444	Charlie C. Kidd	2,076	519.00	140.00
KOSAIR TEMPLE				
Louisville, Ky.				
64446	Geo. F. Sengel	884	221.00	140.00
64447	David R. Bass	884	221.00	140.00
64448	J. Miles Pound	884	221.00	140.00
64449	O. F. Barnette	884	221.00	140.00
64450	E. Skiles Jones	884	221.00	140.00
LU LU TEMPLE				
Philadelphia, Pa.				
64451	Robert W. Dietrich	90	22.50	140.00
64452	Jacques H. Fox	90	22.50	140.00
64453	Stanley Czarnecki	90	22.50	140.00
64454	Harold L. Geringer	90	22.50	140.00
LUXOR TEMPLE				
St. John, N. B.				
64455	Hazen T. Dykeman	682	170.50	140.00
64456	Leslie J. Brewer	682	170.50	140.00
64457	John B. Flewelling	682	170.50	140.00
MAHI TEMPLE				
Miami, Florida				
64458	Malcolm C. McAllister	1,349	337.25	140.00
64459	Vernon C. Holloway	1,349	337.25	140.00

64460	Joseph H. Crane	1,349	337.25	140.00	477.25
64461	I. D. Smith	1,349	337.25	140.00	477.25
MASKAT TEMPLE					
Wichita Falls, Texas					
64462	W. P. Howle	1,841	460.25	140.00	600.25
64463	H. M. Butler	1,841	460.25	140.00	600.25
64464	C. A. Muehlberger	1,841	460.25	140.00	600.25
64465	W. A. Spoons	1,841	460.25	140.00	600.25
MECCA TEMPLE					
New York, N. Y.					
64466	Alfred J. Cawse, Jr.	—	—	140.00	140.00
64467	Irving L. Mermer	—	—	140.00	140.00
64468	Leo Spiegel	—	—	140.00	140.00
64469	Walter A. DeLamater	—	—	140.00	140.00
MEDIA TEMPLE					
Watertown, N. Y.					
64470	Kenyon A. Plumpton	330	82.50	140.00	222.50
64471	John M. Langford	330	82.50	140.00	222.50
64472	Douglas J. Berry	330	82.50	140.00	222.50
64473	John C. Squires	330	82.50	140.00	222.50
MEDINAH TEMPLE					
Chicago, Illinois					
64474	Thomas F. Seay	908	227.00	140.00	367.00
64475	William M. Weisenborn	908	227.00	140.00	367.00
64476	Yngvar Brynildssen	908	227.00	245.00	472.00
64477	Albin R. Anderson	908	227.00	140.00	367.00
64478	Walter H. Vartan	908	227.00	140.00	367.00
MELHA TEMPLE					
Springfield, Mass.					
64479	Harold E. Kjoller	134	33.50	140.00	173.50
64480	Carl B. Martin, Jr.	134	33.50	140.00	173.50
64481	H. Edward Baker	134	33.50	140.00	173.50
64482	Frederick W. DeWitt	134	33.50	140.00	173.50
MIDIAN TEMPLE					
Wichita, Kansas					
64483	Carl L. Buck	1,571	392.75	140.00	532.75
64484	Carl B. Richardson	1,571	392.75	140.00	532.75
64485	Jack H. Cozine	1,571	392.75	140.00	532.75
64486	Kenneth W. Baumgarner	1,571	392.75	140.00	532.75
MIRZA TEMPLE					
Pittsburg, Kansas					
64487	Wm. H. Lewark	1,487	371.75	140.00	511.75
64488	Wm. H. Shute	1,487	371.75	140.00	511.75
64489	W. Howard Millington	1,487	371.75	140.00	511.75
64490	Norman Wilkinson	1,487	371.75	140.00	511.75
MIZPAH TEMPLE					
Fort Wayne, Ind.					
64491	Carl H. Pierson	760	190.00	140.00	330.00
64492	J. Henry Curdes	760	190.00	140.00	330.00
64493	W. Don White	760	190.00	140.00	330.00
64494	Frank O. Rarick	760	190.00	140.00	330.00
64495	Daniel I. Weikel	760	190.00	140.00	330.00
64496	Joseph W. Fuzy, Jr.	760	190.00	140.00	330.00
MOCHA TEMPLE					
London, Ontario					
64497	F. Thomas Vallance	625	156.25	140.00	296.25
64498	John A. Irvine	625	156.25	70.00	226.25
64499	Frank H. Butcher	625	156.25	140.00	296.25
64500	Harold B. Porter	625	156.25	140.00	296.25
MOHAMMED TEMPLE					
Peoria, Ill.					
64501	M. Carroll Baymiller	1,069	267.25	140.00	407.25
64502	C. Bonner Tiebel	1,069	267.25	140.00	407.25
64503	Charles Hastings	1,069	267.25	140.00	407.25
64504	Leonard B. Potter	1,069	267.25	140.00	407.25

MOILA TEMPLE

St. Joseph, Mo.				
64505	Everett H. Trunk	1,376	344.00	140.00 484.00
64506	W. Edgar Chatham	1,376	344.00	140.00 484.00
64507	Fred J. Hoffman	1,376	344.00	140.00 484.00
64508	Milton W. Taylor	1,376	344.00	140.00 484.00
64509	Kenneth L. McNeal	1,376	344.00	140.00 484.00

MOOLAH TEMPLE

St. Louis, Mo.				
64510	Harvey A. Beffa	1,051	262.75	140.00 402.75
64511	George C. Foster	1,051	262.75	245.00 507.75
64512	Arch R. McEwen	1,051	262.75	140.00 402.75
64513	Robert W. Conradi	1,051	262.75	140.00 402.75
64514	Alfred J. Meyer	1,051	262.75	140.00 402.75
64515	Stanley Wurtz	1,051	262.75	140.00 402.75

MOROCCO TEMPLE

Jacksonville, Fla.				
64516	Thomas E. Taylor	983	245.75	140.00 385.75
64517	Frank L. Winchell	983	245.75	140.00 385.75
64518	Warren L. Jones	983	245.75	280.00 525.75
64519	J. Dillon Kennedy	983	245.75	140.00 385.75

MOSLAH TEMPLE

Fort Worth, Texas				
64520	Earnest E. Sanders	1,793	448.25	140.00 588.25
64521	Roy J. Brooks	1,793	448.25	140.00 588.25
64522	John C. Sikes	1,793	448.25	140.00 588.25
64523	C. Victor Thornton	1,793	448.25	140.00 588.25

MOSLEM TEMPLE

Detroit, Michigan				
64524	Charles E. Merrill	661	165.25	140.00 305.25
64526	Alex Acey	661	165.25	245.00 410.25
64527	R. Harold Ling	661	165.25	140.00 305.25
64528	William H. Polkinghorn	661	165.25	140.00 305.25
64529	Joseph E. Ross	661	165.25	140.00 305.25

MOUNT SINAI TEMPLE

Montpelier, Vt.				
64530	Raymond Smith	318	79.50	140.00 219.50
64531	Leland F. Gray	318	79.50	140.00 219.50
64532	Wendell L. Johnston	318	79.50	140.00 219.50
64533	Huntress T. Clark	318	79.50	140.00 219.50

MURAT TEMPLE

Indianapolis, Indiana				
64534	J. Worth Baker	811	202.75	140.00 342.75
64535	Alex M. Clark	811	202.75	140.00 342.75
64536	Charles H. Ellis	811	202.75	140.00 342.75
64537	Karl L. Friedrichs	811	202.75	140.00 342.75
64538	Edwin K. Steers	811	202.75	280.00 482.75

NAJA TEMPLE

Deadwood, South Dakota				
64539	Gerald D. Crary	1,907	476.75	140.00 616.75
64540	Elvin E. Wick	1,907	476.75	140.00 616.75
64541	Leonard T. Van Syoc	1,907	476.75	140.00 616.75
64542	Robert C. Swanson	1,907	476.75	140.00 616.75
64543	Carl H. Kubler	1,907	476.75	140.00 616.75

NEMESIS TEMPLE

Parkersburg, W. Va.				
64544	C. Edgar Pratt	576	144.00	140.00 284.00
64545	Harry G. Weaver	576	144.00	140.00 284.00
64546	Harry Grossman	576	144.00	140.00 284.00
64547	Eugene M. Estep	576	144.00	140.00 284.00

NILE TEMPLE

Seattle, Washington				
64548	Arthur T. Bateman	3,097	774.25	140.00 914.25
64549	William E. Parker	3,097	774.25	140.00 914.25
64550	Ford O. Elvidge	3,097	774.25	140.00 914.25
64551	Ralph C. Olson	3,097	774.25	140.00 914.25

NUR TEMPLE				
Wilmington, Delaware				
64552	Elbert N. Carvel	118	29.50	140.00
64553	Claude A. Brittingham	118	29.50	140.00
64554	Frederick G. Krapf, Jr.	118	29.50	140.00
64555	James L. Whaley	118	29.50	140.00
OASIS TEMPLE				
Charlotte, N.C.				
64556	J. B. Whittington	604	151.00	140.00
64557	W. Fleming Talmon	604	151.00	140.00
64558	Harry M. Bryant	604	151.00	140.00
64559	J. Y. Jordan, Jr.	604	151.00	280.00
64560	H. Ed Austin	604	151.00	140.00
OLEIKA TEMPLE				
Lexington, Ky.				
64561	Fred Bryant	803	200.75	140.00
64562	Edmund H. Bouton	803	200.75	140.00
64563	Earl R. McDaniel	803	200.75	140.00
64564	Kenneth V. O'Neal	803	200.75	140.00
64565	Robert J. Turley	803	200.75	140.00
OMAR TEMPLE				
Charleston, S.C.				
64566	A. J. M. Wannamaker	751	187.75	140.00
64567	D. Dixon Lee	751	187.75	140.00
64568	Robert S. Reese	751	187.75	140.00
64569	John W. Turner	751	187.75	140.00
ORAK TEMPLE				
Hammond, Indiana				
64570	N. Reed Merriam	889	222.25	140.00
64571	Walter Thornton	889	222.25	140.00
64572	Raymond M. Fox, Jr.	889	222.25	140.00
64573	Walter A. McNary	889	222.25	140.00
ORIENTAL TEMPLE				
Troy, New York				
64574	Orville G. Gowie	149	37.25	140.00
64575	Frederick G. Geiger	149	37.25	140.00
64576	George E. Fake	149	37.25	140.00
64577	George C. Snare	149	37.25	140.00
OSIRIS TEMPLE				
Wheeling, W. Va.				
64578	Rollin P. Johnson	507	126.75	140.00
64579	Walter C. Polley	507	126.75	140.00
64580	Leonard E. Van Dyne	507	126.75	140.00
64581	William E. Smith	507	126.75	140.00
OSMAN TEMPLE				
St. Paul, Minnesota				
64582	Walter G. Seeger	1,305	326.25	140.00
64584	Fred T. Christensen	1,305	326.25	140.00
64585	John H. Hanna	1,305	326.25	140.00
64586	Kenneth O. Johnson	1,305	326.25	140.00
64587	Sigurd A. Bertelsen	1,305	326.25	140.00
PALESTINE TEMPLE				
Cranston, R.I.				
64588	Bertram Clarke	185	46.25	140.00
64589	William F. Raymond	185	46.25	140.00
64590	Edward L. Freeman, Jr.	185	46.25	140.00
64591	Alvin R. Kulz	185	46.25	140.00
PHILAE TEMPLE				
Halifax, N.S.				
64592	Sinclair A. Myers	961	240.25	140.00
64593	R. M. Barrett	961	240.25	140.00
64594	R. F. Horne	961	240.25	140.00
PYRAMID TEMPLE				
Bridgeport, Conn.				
64595	Clifford W. Mills, M.D.	56	14.00	245.00
64596	James H. Watt	56	14.00	140.00

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64597	Louis S. Orsage	56	14.00	140.00	154.00
64598	Andre M. Racine	56	14.00	140.00	154.00
RAJAH TEMPLE					
Reading, Pa.					
64599	George L. Markley	127	31.75	140.00	171.75
64600	J. Richard Weaver	127	31.75	140.00	171.75
64601	George S. Steinmetz	127	31.75	140.00	171.75
64602	Roland D. Haas	127	31.75	140.00	171.75
RAMESES TEMPLE					
Toronto, Ontario					
64603	Percy C. Bolton	510	127.50	140.00	267.50
64604	Ken Coope	510	127.50	140.00	267.50
64605	Charles W. Emmett	510	127.50	140.00	267.50
64606	Fred G. McBrien	510	127.50	140.00	267.50
RIZFAH TEMPLE					
Madisonville, Ky.					
64607	Ben M. Strother	1,066	266.50	140.00	406.50
64608	Joel G. Hurley	1,066	266.50	140.00	406.50
64609	S. Ernest Parrish	1,066	266.50	140.00	406.50
64610	Wylie E. Jones	1,066	266.50	140.00	406.50
SAHARA TEMPLE					
Pine Bluff, Ark.					
64611	Edward W. Brockman, Jr.	1,451	362.75	140.00	502.75
64612	James F. McLellan, Jr.	1,451	362.75	140.00	502.75
64613	Morlan F. Prickett	1,451	362.75	140.00	502.75
64614	W. Ellis Arnold	1,451	362.75	140.00	502.75
SALAAM TEMPLE					
Newark 8, N.J.					
64615	Thomas O. Conklin	10	2.50	140.00	142.50
64616	Roger F. Evers	10	2.50	140.00	142.50
64617	Palmer D. Burde	10	2.50	140.00	142.50
64618	Jacob A. Wingerter	10	2.50	245.00	247.50
SALADIN TEMPLE					
Grand Rapids, Michigan					
64619	Henry C. Martens	814	203.50	140.00	343.50
64620	John J. Straayer	814	203.50	140.00	343.50
64621	Eugene G. Slep	814	203.50	140.00	343.50
64622	Edward L. Howard	814	203.50	140.00	343.50
SCIMITAR TEMPLE					
Little Rock, Ark.					
64623	Walter C. Guy	1,399	349.75	140.00	489.75
64624	Quinn Glover	1,399	349.75	245.00	594.75
64625	R. E. (Jack) Bush	1,399	349.75	140.00	489.75
64626	Robt. R. Stair	1,399	349.75	140.00	489.75
64627	Paul H. Dixon	1,399	349.75	140.00	489.75
64628	J. Harry Leggett	1,399	349.75	140.00	489.75
SESOSTRIS TEMPLE					
Lincoln, Neb.					
64629	Robert P. Stephens	1,459	364.75	140.00	504.75
64630	Merle M. Hale	1,459	364.75	140.00	504.75
64631	Sidney S. Anderson	1,459	364.75	140.00	504.75
64632	Homer T. "Pat" Burt	1,459	364.75	140.00	504.75
SHARON TEMPLE					
Tyler, Texas					
64633	R. E. "Peppy" Blount	1,720	430.00	140.00	570.00
64634	Eugene W. Oliver	1,720	430.00	140.00	570.00
64635	H. E. Jenkins	1,720	430.00	140.00	570.00
64636	H. H. Spragins	1,720	430.00	140.00	570.00
SPHINX TEMPLE					
Hartford, Conn.					
64637	Harold C. Close	109	27.25	140.00	167.25
64638	Emory R. Morse	109	27.25	140.00	167.25
64639	Frederick W. Becher	109	27.25	140.00	167.25
64640	Stanley E. Peterson	109	27.25	140.00	167.25
64641	James A. Gray	109	27.25	140.00	167.25

SUDAN TEMPLE

	New Bern, N.C.				
64642	Otis M. Banks	567	141.75	140.00	281.75
64643	Nelson B. Banks	567	141.75	140.00	281.75
64644	Sam S. Toler, Jr.	567	141.75	140.00	281.75
64645	Charles A. Harris	567	141.75	140.00	281.75

SUEZ TEMPLE

	San Angelo, Texas				
64646	Martin G. Browne	2,026	506.50	140.00	646.50
64647	John D. Bright	2,026	506.50	140.00	646.50
64648	Robert H. Augustinus	2,026	506.50	140.00	646.50
64649	Ted. O. Groebi	2,026	506.50	140.00	646.50

SYRIA TEMPLE

	Pittsburgh, Pa.				
64651	Clarence M. Sheasley	440	110.00	245.00	355.00
64652	William G. Haile	440	110.00	140.00	250.00
64653	Charles E. Palmer	440	110.00	140.00	250.00
64654	William H. Latimer, Jr.	440	110.00	140.00	250.00
64655	Kenneth T. Paxton	440	110.00	245.00	355.00

SYRIAN TEMPLE

	Cincinnati, Ohio				
64656	Lynn R. Van Ness	756	189.00	140.00	329.00
64657	Oscar W. Hirschfeld	756	189.00	140.00	329.00
64658	Winfield W. Tripp	756	189.00	140.00	329.00
64659	Harry M. Bader	756	189.00	140.00	329.00

TADMOR TEMPLE

	Akron, Ohio				
64660	William H. Knowlton	626	156.50	350.00	506.50
64661	Howard C. Rodgers	626	156.50	140.00	296.50
64662	Earl S. Hollen	626	156.50	140.00	296.50
64663	George T. Carper	626	156.50	140.00	296.50
64664	A. J. B. Miller	626	156.50	140.00	296.50

TANGIER TEMPLE

	Omaha, Nebraska				
64666	William F. Kunold	1,396	349.00	140.00	489.00
64667	Luther J. Thompson	1,396	349.00	140.00	489.00
64668	Herbert T. White	1,396	349.00	350.00	699.00
64669	Jerome Given	1,396	349.00	140.00	489.00

TEBALA TEMPLE

	Rockford, Illinois				
64670	W. Clyde Oliver	994	248.50	140.00	388.50
64671	Clarence E. Werner	994	248.50	140.00	388.50
64672	David L. Klontz	994	248.50	140.00	388.50
64673	Dawn A. Smith	994	248.50	140.00	388.50
64674	F. Eugene Morrison	994	248.50	140.00	388.50
64675	Allan C. Mallquist	994	248.50	140.00	388.50

TEHAMA TEMPLE

	Hastings, Nebraska				
64676	Earl B. Baldwin	1,556	389.00	140.00	529.00
64677	Horace W. Shreck	1,556	389.00	140.00	529.00
64678	Edward H. Lockwood	1,556	389.00	140.00	529.00
64679	Homer C. Davey	1,556	389.00	140.00	529.00

TEHRAN TEMPLE

	Fresno, Cal.				
64680	Seymour C. Sterling	3,314	828.50	140.00	968.50
64681	Letus A. Wallace	3,314	828.50	140.00	968.50
64682	Bertram R. Snapp	3,314	828.50	140.00	968.50
64683	Harry O. Beck	3,314	828.50	140.00	968.50

TIGRIS TEMPLE

	Syracuse, New York				
64684	Robert G. Evans	287	71.75	140.00	211.75
64685	Robert A. Henderson	287	71.75	140.00	211.75
64686	Sam Gilman	287	71.75	140.00	211.75
64687	Ralph W. Stirner	287	71.75	140.00	211.75

TRIPOLI TEMPLE

	Thomas W. Melham	993	248.25	245.00	493.25
64690	B. Howard Schaffer	993	248.25	140.00	388.25

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64691	Vernon M. Bushman	993	248.25	140.00	388.25
64692	Milton L. Meister	993	248.25	140.00	388.25
64693	Louis J. Best	993	248.25	140.00	388.25

WAHABI TEMPLE

	Jackson, Miss.				
64695	Ralph T. Whitaker	1,239	309.75	140.00	449.75
64696	H. Warren Tool, Jr.	1,239	309.75	140.00	449.75
64697	A. H. Richter	1,239	309.75	140.00	449.75
64698	Thomas V. Laird, Jr.	1,239	309.75	140.00	449.75

WA-WA TEMPLE

	Regina, Sask.				
64699	G. W. C. Johns	2,076	519.00	140.00	659.00
64700	M. R. Douglas	2,076	519.00	140.00	659.00
64701	N. Bruce McCannel	2,076	519.00	140.00	659.00
64702	H. C. Ireland	2,076	519.00	140.00	659.00

YAARAB TEMPLE

	Atlanta, Georgia				
64703	Robinson W. Schilling	865	216.25	140.00	356.25
64704	Daniel D. Shermer	865	216.25	140.00	356.25
64705	Frank C. Berry	865	216.25	140.00	356.25
64706	Frank R. Fling	865	216.25	140.00	356.25

YELDUZ TEMPLE

	Aberdeen, S.D.				
64707	Richard W. Hendry	1,637	414.25	140.00	554.25
64708	George M. Rich	1,637	414.25	140.00	554.25
64709	Lloyd A. Johnson	1,637	414.25	140.00	554.25
64710	Leo F. Ward	1,637	414.25	140.00	554.25

ZA-GA-ZIG TEMPLE

	Des Moines, Iowa				
64711	Erman L. Dutcher	1,266	316.50	140.00	456.50
64712	James F. Irish	1,266	316.50	140.00	456.50
64713	Ted Cutler	1,266	316.50	140.00	456.50
64714	Karl M. McCulloch	1,266	316.50	140.00	456.50

ZAMORA TEMPLE

	Birmingham, Alabama				
64715	George A. Mattison, Jr.	989	247.25	140.00	387.25
64716	J. S. Kennamer	989	247.25	140.00	387.25
64717	John E. Cammill	989	247.25	140.00	387.25
64718	James R. Maxwell	989	247.25	140.00	387.25
64719	J. Edgar Bowron	989	247.25	140.00	387.25

ZEMBO TEMPLE

	Harrisburg, Pa.				
64720	J. Edwin Weigle	195	48.75	140.00	188.75
64721	J. Herbert Raymond	195	48.75	140.00	188.75
64722	Harold E. McCormick	195	48.75	140.00	188.75
64723	C. Donald Jenkins	195	48.75	140.00	188.75

ZEM ZEM TEMPLE

	Erie, Pa.				
64724	O. Carlyle Brock	497	124.25	140.00	264.25
64725	Robert S. Schluraff	497	124.25	140.00	264.25
64726	Donald A. Schimmel	497	124.25	140.00	264.25
64727	James A. McKnight	497	124.25	245.00	369.25
64728	Howard E. Kelly	497	124.25	140.00	264.25

ZENOBIA TEMPLE

	Toledo, Ohio				
64729	Edwin F. Baertschi	685	171.25	245.00	416.25
64730	John V. Longberry	685	171.25	140.00	311.25
64731	Burton R. MacRitchie	685	171.25	140.00	311.25
64732	Arthur W. Taylor	685	171.25	140.00	311.25
64733	Howard E. Smith	685	171.25	140.00	311.25

ZIYARA TEMPLE

	Utica, New York				
64734	A. Edward Allen	237	59.25	140.00	199.25
64735	Andrew C. Treiber	237	59.25	140.00	199.25
64736	Charles F. Gorton	237	59.25	140.00	199.25
64737	John Marko, Sr.	237	59.25	140.00	199.25

ZOR TEMPLE					
Madison, Wisconsin					
64738	Winfield S. MacDonald	1,038	259.50	140.00	399.50
64739	Lester C. Lee	1,038	259.50	140.00	399.50
64740	Earl Sachse	1,038	259.50	350.00	609.50
64741	William H. Rohde	1,038	259.50	140.00	399.50
ZORAH TEMPLE					
Terre Haute, Ind.					
64742	Leroy A. Francis	883	220.75	140.00	360.75
64743	Harold H. Giffel	833	220.75	140.00	360.75
64744	Harry E. Briggs	833	220.75	140.00	360.75
64745	James R. Bouillez	883	220.75	140.00	360.75
ZURAH TEMPLE					
Minneapolis, Minn.					
64746	Ervin L. Haase	1,315	328.75	140.00	468.75
64747	Earl V. Reudy	1,315	328.75	140.00	468.75
64748	L. A. Potter, Jr.	1,315	328.75	140.00	468.75
64749	Emil J. Beckstrom	1,315	328.75	140.00	468.75
IMPERIAL CHAPLAIN					
Sphinx Temple					
64750	Rev. Russell E. Camp	109	27.25	140.00	167.25
GENERAL COUNSEL					
Midian Temple					
64751	Stanley Garrity	1,571	392.75	140.00	532.75
IMPERIAL AUDITOR					
Karem Temple					
64752	Arthur C. Upleger	1,871	467.75	140.00	607.75
TOTALS					
		936,849	\$234,212.25	\$107,415.00	\$341,627.25

Imperial Sir, the Committee recommends the adoption of this report, all signed by the Committee. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you. Nobles, you have heard the report and the motion as seconded to adopt the report. All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Adopted.

At this time I would like to ask our newly elected Imperial Outer Guard to come forward. (*Applause*)

Imperial Sir, I want to apologize to you and tell you in front of everybody here that when you were elected to this office the Imperial Council, because of our financial situation, did not have three gold stars to present to you. (*Laughter*) Now that the per capita tax is through and this motion to take from surplus is through we have been able to go out and purchase three gold stars and it is a privilege and an honor to present to you your first gold stars as a member of the official family of the Shrine. (*Applause*)

NOBLE C. VICTOR THORNTON: Imperial Sir and Representatives. Again thank you and I shall see that these are placed on an appropriate fez one of these days soon. Thank you again. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I am going to ask your attention now for a few minutes to make a supplemental report on an item that I think should be brought to your attention. Since the report of the Imperial Potentate was printed, another matter has presented itself which should be reported to this Imperial Council Session.

Each year various Temples, as a part of their annual report, include a detailed report of any fund-raising activity conducted by, through, or in the name of the

Shrine. During the administration of this Imperial Potentate, information and reports furnished by Aleppo Temple were not deemed adequate. Routine requests were made of the officers of the Temple to furnish the information.

Under date of May 14, 1964, the Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple advised the Imperial Recorder that Aleppo Temple did hold a circus last year (1963) during the administration of Illustrious Herbert N. Faulkner. As Illustrious Potentate he authorized Past Imperial Potentate Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., to conduct a circus as an Aleppo Temple function. Imperial Sir Wilson was Chairman of the circus and handled all arrangements and funds through the Aleppo Temple Shrine Activities, Inc.

Further, the Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple, under date of June 17, 1964, advised the Imperial Potentate that as none of the requested material was available at Aleppo Temple Headquarters I have personally contacted the Chairman and requested the information called for.

When it became apparent to the Imperial Potentate that the requested information would be delayed possibly beyond the term of his office, an order was issued to Aleppo Temple, its Officers and Imperial Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, to produce at the office of the Recorder of Aleppo Temple on July 7, 1964, at ten o'clock in the morning, the originals of all records, books, accounts, minute books, corporate charter, bank statements and canceled checks for Aleppo Shrine Activities, Inc., a corporation. The Imperial Auditor and General Counsel were ordered to go to Boston for the purpose of acquiring the information requested. As the result of the above, the records were produced and the following information determined.

1. Nearly every year a circus is conducted in the name of Aleppo Temple. It is most often handled through a Massachusetts Corporation known as Aleppo Shrine Activities, Inc.

2. This corporation was formed in 1941. In the beginning, and yet, the membership of that corporation is limited to seven members of Aleppo Temple. These same Nobles are the Directors and Officers of the corporation. Imperial Sir Wilson is President and Treasurer and operates the corporation. Its Articles of Incorporation provide the powers and purposes of the corporation to be for the association of certain members of Aleppo Temple of the Shrine in Boston for civic, social and educational purposes, to promote, sponsor or participate in a Shrine circus or circuses and social activities for Aleppo Temple, so-called, and do all negotiations and incident things in arranging for, sponsoring or promoting a circus or circuses, preferably with the active participation of the Uniformed Units of Aleppo Temple of the Shrine in said performance or performances.

The incorporators of this corporation were Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Herman C. McStay, Robert G. Wilson, Wallace M. McNaught, Frank B. Ells, William J. Shannon, Frank J. Marble. The only changes have been the deletion of two Nobles by reason of death. There has been only one addition, Noble Howard MacOdrum. These Nobles are the only members, Directors and Officers of the corporation.

3. There was no evidence of any financial irregularity.

4. No formal books of account are kept. The records kept, although audited annually or oftener, are less than adequate to make a detailed audit.

5. The handling of the finances is a one man operation; namely, Robert G. Wilson, Jr.

6. The membership of Aleppo Temple is solicited in connection with the circus operation. Most of the receipts are in checks made payable to R. G. Wilson, Jr., Chairman, this pursuant to the instructions set forth in the solicitation letter. The receipts are received at the office of Aleppo Temple but immediately turned over to Imperial Sir Wilson without any record made of the amounts or from whom received. Thereafter these receipts are handled entirely by Imperial Sir Wilson and his personal secretary who periodically is paid a salary for such service.

7. Obligations and disbursements are paid out by checks signed by Imperial Sir Wilson. Some of the net receipts from the corporation are used to pay expenses for the Uniformed Units of Aleppo Temple, some are transferred over to the Temple, some are transferred to the reserve fund of the Temple, some are retained in the corporation for future use, and other net receipts are used in connection with Aleppo Temple activities. Disbursements are made without the express approval of the Divan or membership of Aleppo Temple.

8. No detailed operating or audit report is made either to the Divan or membership of Aleppo Temple.

Your Imperial Potentate hereby recommends to Aleppo Temple that:

A. That Aleppo Temple take over and keep under its control the activities of Aleppo Shrine Activities, Inc., a corporation.

B. All checks should be prenumbered.

C. The bank account in the National Shawmut Bank should be a corporate bank account.

D. A formal accounting journal and ledger should be kept.

E. Quarterly reports should be rendered to the Divan.

F. Annual reports should be rendered to the membership of Aleppo Temple.

G. Deposits should be accurately checked to the remittance letters. Several deposits were either long or short and adjusted to the bank's records. Should such an error occur the reason and adjustment should be made on the receipt list.

H. Checks should be countersigned.

I. All bills should be approved by a Finance Committee that maintains minutes of its meetings.

J. The Articles and By-laws of the Temple should be changed so as to provide that the Divan be represented on a majority of the Board of Directors.

K. The records and books of the corporation should be kept in the Recorder's office of the Temple.

L. The Articles and By-laws of the corporation should be amended so as to enlarge the membership of the corporation and include more or all of the membership of Aleppo Temple.

This investigation was not conducted in an effort to uncover any financial irregularity. Actually none was expected and none was found to exist. In addition the Treasury Department of the United States Government audited the operation for 1961 and its activities were found to be within its tax exempt status.

Your Imperial Potentate believes this type of operation to be completely unbusinesslike. No Temple should permit it to continue to exist and since the adoption of the By-laws the duty exists for all Temples to have and control such corporations for the benefit of their Nobles.

That concludes my supplemental report.

NOBLE SHELDON F. GOLDTHWAIT: Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of the report. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.: Imperial Sir, I would like the privilege of speaking.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You have it, Sir. The motion is on the adoption of the report you just heard.

NOBLE ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.: Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. I don't know how many of you have even been members of a legislative body, but if you have there is an hour known as the prorogation hour. That is the hour when the boys bring out the pork barrel items and that is the hour when they try to sweep disagreeable items under the rug, and that is why today there are certain items that have been left until the last minute for your consideration in the hope that some of you will have gone for your trains and planes while certain things can be swept under the rug.

As a member of the Bar for over forty years and as a Judge of a Probate Court in Massachusetts for twenty-two years by appointment of former Governor Saltonstall, now United States Senator, I never thought the day would come when my personal integrity would be questioned in any Shrine in North America, and for nothing that I have ever done do I offer an apology.

I don't know whether you can bring yourselves to believe what happened last night. On December 30 three members of Sphinx Temple were suspended by the present Imperial Potentate for personal reasons, as will later in the Session to such of you as have not gone to your trains. One of them was a Past Potentate, over forty years a member. Another was the Senior Past Potentate of Sphinx Temple, over forty years a member, a man who hasn't missed an annual meeting in over thirty-eight years. Another was Stancliff, for twenty-four consecutive years Recorder of Sphinx Temple. They are not Representatives. Having been suspended on December 30 they had no way to reach the floor. One of those men was born in Boston, my home town, and he called me up and asked me what his rights were and I am going to defend them a little later in the Session.

So last night the Imperial Potentate of the Shrine at the ball park, in the presence of Past Imperial Potentate Cray, asked me with reference to the report of the Grievances and Appeals Committee, which for some reason is being delayed until the last hour, and when I said I was going to speak on it he told me that if I did he would bring up the question of my membership on the Board of Trustees and also on the Board of Governors in Boston and that he would bring up the question

of our Aleppo Temple circus, and I told him that when it came to a matter of threats—and I shouldn't talk this way maybe—I would fight him at any weight.

Now what is the story of the Aleppo Temple Shrine Activities, Inc.? And I don't want to take too much of your time but put yourself in my shoes. I was elected Potentate of that great Temple, Aleppo, in 1940 and we needed new uniforms and Aleppo Temple did run two circuses and got stuck, and the Potentate of Aleppo Temple and the Major of the Uniformed Units were sued and stuck for over \$20,000 which the Temple made good. We needed uniforms and I called my Divan together and one of them was Willard Lombard, my Chief Rabban, and another was Frank Ells, now Treasurer of Aleppo, and I said, "I am going to run a circus and get my boys in the Units new uniforms." They told me I was crazy,—and I guess they were right in consideration of what has developed. I said, "I will protect you and our members. As a member of the Bar I will form a corporation, and I will fix this, so if we do lose, nobody gets stuck."

So I formed a corporation, and I have no apologies, and we did business as a corporation. Because I was carrying the bag I made myself President. And I ran the circus and we made some money,—not enough for the uniforms, but the next circus we did.

Down through the years, every year at the request of the Potentate of the Temple for that year,—and now you will think I am crazy,—I have operated this Aleppo Temple Shrine circus for nineteen years since 1940. As a result of which I have realized \$360,000, of which \$40,000-odd has been applied to Temple charities, and \$52,000-odd applied to Temple Shrine uniforms and equipment, and the nice little neat sum of \$267,000 is now held by the Trustees of the Permanent Fund of Aleppo in cash or securities as the Aleppo Temple Circus Division of the Permanent Fund. And for that I offer no apologies.

The Potentate of the Temple for this year has asked me to run a circus in October. And from the operation of those nineteen circuses I have received not one dime of remuneration and I told the emissaries of the Imperial Potentate, when they came to Boston, that I hadn't been paid financially for what I did, but from the point of view of personal satisfaction I had taken pride in the accomplishment and I was overpaid; and I told them further that I was overpaid down to this month, but now I begin to think I am underpaid if that is the way we Shriners play the game.

Now they talk about the way in which I operate that circus. That circus has been operated with the Hamid-Morton Company. A contract is signed which holds us free from any possible liability, either myself, the Officers of the Temple or our membership. Every dime that comes in on that circus—and practically all of it is checks through sales of books of tickets to the members,—there is no public sale—is deposited in the National Shawmut Bank, every dime, every week, sometimes every day, and the expenses are paid by check, nothing in cash, and when the circus is over that money is deposited in the account of the Aleppo Temple Shrine Activities, Inc. after we have made our settlement with the circus people in what was the Webster Atlas Bank which is now the State Street Trust Company of Boston.

Every dime of income and every dime of expense is audited by the auditor who audits the books of Aleppo Temple. When this hearing, which was to pull me off this Sphinx Temple case, was held in Boston, of which I received notice on the 25th of June to be ready with all the books of account on the second of July,

and in spite of the fact that I was holding Court, I brought down the auditor from his vacation in Bangor, Maine, a distance of 250 miles. He has all the working sheets and records of every circus I have ever run, including those of the last three years, and he spent two days with the emissaries of the Imperial Potentate. No matter what they expected to find—and I hope to God they didn't think there was anything "rotten in Denmark"—I think the total they found that a man named Wilson got in nineteen years was \$24 cash reimbursement for transporting the cards and records in a taxicab now and then.

So we leave this issue at this point because I have got to speak to you a little later on the main issue. I just want you gentlemen to know my side of the story and to know that for my actions in these nineteen years in running this circus for my Temple, in which I am still a member of the Patrol, I offer no apologies. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I am going at this time to turn the gavel over to a member of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, J. Y. Jordan. Before I do that I do want to categorically deny to you that I ever had any such conversation with the Judge that he referred to of last evening.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: There is a motion before the house on the adoption of the supplemental report of the Imperial Potentate. Do I hear a second to that motion? (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I rise—

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: One moment, please.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I ask the Imperial Officer a question. It is on a point of order and I would like to ask the Imperial Potentate a question. The point of order is this. In our Temples when a—

VOICES: Take the microphone!

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I make bold to ask a question. In our Temples, and I think the By-laws state that when a Potentate does not desire to preside or is unable to preside his Chief Rabban presides or his Assistant Rabban presides and then it says, or a Past Potentate presides. Those are the laws that govern our Temples. I believe that ought to govern the Imperial Council. I believe that one of your Officers or a Past Imperial Officer should take the gavel now. I was subjected to one who is not an Imperial Officer taking the podium, taking the gavel, and not presiding but arguing with anybody who chose to talk. I believe that on my point of order that your place of presiding should be taken over by one of the Imperial Officers or a Past Imperial Potentate. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I believe that our law provides that the Imperial Potentate may ask any Representative to preside over a session. I am going to ask the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee if that is so. Is Judge Brown here? (*No response*) Is our General Counsel here? I will ask the General Counsel.

NOBLE STANLEY GARRITY: Here it is. I will just read you the book. It is Section 206.5 (3). "He shall preside over sessions of the Imperial Council, but he may select another Representative to preside over part or all of the session. He shall have the right to preside over meetings and sessions of Temples." I think that answers the question. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Now Representatives, the supplemental report. Its adoption was moved by the Imperial Potentate and that was seconded. For your information this report should be accepted and filed. So many as favor that will signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed, "No." The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and so ordered.

I am advised that the Committee on Grievances and Appeals is ready to render its report and I will now call for the Chairman of that Committee, Representative George Foster.

NOBLE GEORGE C. FOSTER: Imperial Sirs, Representatives. This is not our complete report for the reason that there has been some delay receiving a ruling from Jurisprudence and Laws which was received this morning. A portion of that report is being typewritten but I do have a report for your consideration at this time which I am reasonably sure you will like. (*Reading*)
To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Grievances and Appeals an appeal from a ruling affecting a member of El Bekal Temple.

Your Committee heard testimony and examined into the matter but are happy to report that the grievance has been withdrawn.

There has also been referred to your Committee on Grievances and Appeals an appeal by a Noble of Medinah Temple. This appeal has also been withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS
GEORGE C. FOSTER, *Chairman*
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I move the adoption of the report. (*Motion seconded*) We will be ready in about ten minutes with the other report.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, the motion has been made to adopt the report. Do I hear a second? (*Motion seconded*) Any questions? If not, as many as favor signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and so adopted.

NOBLE GEORGE C. FOSTER: Imperial Sirs and Representatives. We now have the final report. There have been other matters involved but all have been disposed of and this is the matter of Sphinx Temple. (*Reading*)
To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Grievances and Appeals the appeal of three Nobles of Sphinx Temple.

Your Committee on Grievances and Appeals heard various witnesses and examined various documents submitted in this matter. The Committee on Grievances has received a ruling from the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws that the Imperial Potentate was acting within the provisions of Section 35 of Article VII

of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation whereunder he had the right to suspend any officer or any member of any Temple for violation or disobedience of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, Code, Regulations or Edicts of the Imperial Council, or for violation or disobedience of Edicts, General or Special Orders, or Instructions issued by the Imperial Potentate.

The Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws further ruled that the action of the Imperial Potentate in suspending these Nobles did not present a justiciable controversy subject to review by the Committee on Grievances and Appeals under the Iowa By-Laws in effect at that time.

Respectfully submitted,

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I move the adoption of that report. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, you have heard the motion to adopt the report. Is it seconded? (*Motion seconded*) Is there any discussion?

NOBLE ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.: There is.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The Chair recognizes Imperial Sir Gardiner Wilson.

NOBLE ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.: And I am glad we reached it, just before train time, although they tried pretty hard to keep this under the rug.

I will repeat the reason that I am here. It is because those three outstanding Nobles of Sphinx Temple, one of whom was a former member of Aleppo Temple and a boyhood friend of mine, being denied a representative, or the privilege to wear the fez, needed a spokesman, and I believe in righting justice, even in the Shrine.

In August of 1963 the Imperial Potentate appointed a special committee to investigate proceedings held at meetings of Sphinx Temple held on May 15 and June 5 of 1963, with instructions to that special committee to make written findings as to alleged collusion to "rig the ballot"—those are his words—on candidates at either or both of said meetings and, if so, to determine who were the alleged leaders in the collusion. And so-called hearings, which the defendants were not permitted to attend except to testify briefly, were accordingly held at Hartford, Connecticut, on October 11 and October 12. Neither the Committee—if I am correctly informed—the Grievances and Appeals Committee, nor the defendants, have ever received a copy of the secret report made, if any, by the members of that investigating committee, which perhaps may be accounted for by the fact, as I understand it, that the Chairman of that Committee is himself at the present time at least temporarily suspended not only as a Knight Templar and 32° Mason but as a Mason in his Blue Lodge. That may account for the fact that there is no known report in existence.

Following that kangaroo court hearing in Hartford in October came a letter

from the Imperial Potentate dated December 30, 1963, in which he suspended three outstanding Nobles of Sphinx Temple. These Nobles—some of you may know one or more of them—were John Jepson, forty-three years a Shriner, a Past Potentate of Sphinx Temple, William Hunter—whose wife incidentally is in the outer room waiting to see if she can go home with her husband and he can put on his fez on the way home—Senior Past Potentate of that great Temple—and the third culprit, if I may use that word, is Francis Stancliff, forty-one years a Shriner and for twenty-four consecutive years Recorder of Sphinx Temple.

These Nobles filed written appeals to the Imperial Council as long ago as last February and requested the courtesy of more specific and detailed information concerning the alleged charges made against them by the Imperial Potentate and they each wrote him a letter in March of 1964 from which I quote.

"For obvious reasons—(this is part of one of the letters)—I am unaware whether your drastic action on December 30 of 1963 was based wholly or in part on findings or recommendations of your special committee. In any event it would appear that in ordinary fairness I am entitled to a copy of any such findings or recommendations. I consider it un-American and un-Masonic that I would appear to stand convicted as a result of star chamber proceedings:

"1. Never having been furnished any detailed and specific statement of the charges against me;

"2. Never having been furnished the names of any alleged accusers or the names of any such persons who supposedly gave testimony before the special committee;

"3. Never having been granted an opportunity to question, hear or even face the person or persons making the accusation;

"4. Never having been granted the right to be present throughout any hearing or hearings held for the purpose of taking testimony against me;

"5. Never having been afforded opportunity to specifically make answers to any specific charges, claims or accusations;

"6. Never having been furnished a copy of the findings and the recommendations, if any, made by the special committee;

"7. Never having been furnished a transcript of the testimony given which concerned me." Hard to believe!

"Therefore I now request:

"1. A copy of any such findings and recommendations as have been made concerning me by the special committee appointed by you on August 23;

"2. The names of such Officers and Nobles of Sphinx Temple as I am alleged to have repeatedly influenced by threats and so forth;

"3. A statement in detail disclosing and specifying the nature and wording of any alleged threats alleged to be made by me;

"4. The names of any such Nobles concerning the undersigned that there was any collusion to rig the ballot at either or both of the meetings held by Sphinx Temple May 15 or June 5;

"5. The copy of any transcript of the testimony given at those hearings."

Maybe my judgment is colored, but that seems to me a fair request for a man under trial. What was the answer? March 16, 1964, to John Jepson. This was from the Imperial Potentate.

"Dear Sir: I have your letter dated March 7, 1964, and if you will supply me with the citations to the Code or By-laws which you believe indicate that I am obliged to comply with your request I will give the matter further consideration."

Well, I guess they couldn't quote any such self-evident law in either the Code or the By-laws as the laws of ordinary justice among men, nor did they ever receive from anyone—and I see some incredulous looks and I don't blame you as some of this is hard to believe—nor did they ever receive from anyone any notice where or when to appear during this Session!

Fortunately as a Representative I received my official Call for the Session which stated that the Committee on Grievances and Appeals would meet at nine a.m. last Saturday in Room 504. They never got any notice, but I had them there at nine a.m. on Saturday, and the only member of the Committee on Grievances and Appeals who was present at nine a.m. on Saturday was the Chairman who stated he wasn't ready for the hearing on the appeal of which my men had received no notice, and they were told, believe it or not, to hold themselves subject to call. So in their behalf I went up in my room all that day, had my meals sent in, and saw a good fifteen-inning ball game, because I was being held subject to call. It later developed that members of the Grievances and Appeals Committee had all received letters notifying them that their meeting was to be held not at nine in the morning, but three o'clock in the afternoon of which, of course, I had received no notice—nor had anyone else.

On Sunday afternoon we were notified that the hearing would be held at nine a.m. on Monday. A hearing was finally held before the Committee on Grievances and appeals last Monday and one of the witnesses who appeared at that time to testify as to events on the 5th day of June 1963, and in defense of these three Nobles to state that there was no basis for the charges, was the Imperial Chaplain of the Shrine of North America, a member of Sphinx Temple, and for that he in turn has been punished during this Session,—which is entirely another story.

Now what happened at these Sphinx Temple meetings of May 15 and June 5? For some years there was a policy and a custom in Sphinx Temple requiring a report by an Investigating Committee on the application of every candidate, and also in Sphinx Temple as in many Temples, and when I say that I am glad to say in many Temples, there was opposition to voting on candidates in a block unless investigation at least had been made.

What is the Shrine law on this question of investigating committees? What is the Shrine law on this question of the right of any Shriner to insist on a secret ballot individually on candidates? At one time an Imperial Code provision expressly required that all petitions be referred to a committee. Even now Section 252 in the By-laws that have just been done away with, but which were in effect at the time, it is required that balloting on any candidate shall be "subsequent to a favorable report" which, of course, implies some investigation.

Now the 1963 Potentate of Sphinx Temple decided to change the rules, and that quite understandably aroused resentment among a substantial number of the No-

bility of Sphinx Temple because there persists, I am told, in that Temple an insistence in recent years that when candidates' applications come in they shall not only bear the name of two sponsors but a given number of the Divan shall okay them, and it is printed on the back side of their application and there is also a place for the report of an Investigating Committee. And there is a substantial group in Sphinx Temple which insists on that arrangement being complied with,—either that there shall have been an investigation, or at least if there hasn't been an investigation, that the candidates shall be voted on individually by secret ballot and not 125 in a block.

Which raises this point—and you are all standing in the shoes of these men, and you are standing in my shoes, and you have your opinion of what the law of the Shrine should be,—but do I understand that it is seriously argued that once a man becomes a Knight Templar or a 32° Mason he is in a position to automatically demand membership in the Shrine, if he has got the price, without any investigation as to his qualifications and without going through the ordeal of an individual secret ballot? Is it seriously argued that that should be so? Of course, if that is what we want let's eliminate any requirements for any report on candidates. Let's just take them in, if they have got the check. If that is what we want then let's eliminate that secret ballot which, incidentally, at the election on June 5 in Sphinx Temple, was not left on the table but was tilted so the boys could tell whether the votes were going to roll or slide. That in my book is "rigging" of the ballot, but not done by these three men.

Perhaps you would like to do away with the secret ballot with the old black ball, the white ball and black cube in your Blue Lodge, and in your Commandery, or your Consistory, because the custom persists throughout all Masonic Bodies. But remember this, remembering the example of this case, that if you protest against that change,—doing away with individually balloting and doing away with investigations,—you may be put on trial too next year for collusion, and if you are tried I express the wish that unlike these three outstanding Nobles of Sphinx Temple, you will at least have the right to face your accusers; and if you are tried I hope that you will at least be extended the American privilege, that they don't have in Russia, of being present and allowed to participate in your own trial which was denied these men.

I ask you to repudiate these three outrageous suspensions of these three men and then if you want to abolish all investigation of candidates, if then you want to abolish the secret ballot in the Shrine and perhaps in Masonry, then it is your next move. Just change the rules, but don't make these three men in Sphinx Temple any whipping boys for defending the present system in the Shrine.

In closing I want to say that I have always felt that we have a right to insist on justice from our enemies but we expect justice from our friends and Brothers: I thank you. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Is there any further discussion? The Chair recognizes the Imperial Potentate.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, I simply want to make a brief statement to you. I might say that I am sure, and I don't know what happened at the Grievances and Appeals Committee, I am sure that the other side of this question was presented to them. I don't want to take your time this morning to present the other side of the question.

VOICE: Let's hear it!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I don't want to take your time to present the other side of the question. I do want to make a statement.

The secret report that has been referred to, I want to point out to you, that has been claimed to be un-Masonic, a Past Grand Commander of the State of Illinois was suspended recently by the Grand Master of the State because he did show a Masonic report to somebody else who was a Mason.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: Imperial Sir, will you yield?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Yes.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: May I approach when you are finished?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Yes.

We did have these committees and questions were asked, "What church or synagogue do you belong to or do you go to?" These have been ruled out of order sometime ago by a former Chairman of your Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. My own personal feeling is that this big organization cannot be in a position of discriminating against anybody as long as they live up to our rules which provide that any man in good standing in one of the prerequisite bodies is eligible to join the Shrine.

I simply want to bring one other thing to your attention that this Committee brought out and that was the fact that our Potentate last year, Arthur Tanner, former speaker of our Houses in Connecticut, at this particular balloting session had all these applications on the Recorder's desk in alphabetical order. When it came time to ballot on these applications certain applications were taken out and laid aside like this so that you who are in the audience could tell when these applications were picked up. This Committee found out that these few applications had hieroglyphic marks up in the corner but they did not attempt to find out whether that had ever taken place before.

So in order to determine this I requested our Imperial Recorder to go to Sphinx Temple and go back over our applications because I certainly am familiar with what goes on in Sphinx Temple. We have taken these applications in for years the same way. The Imperial Recorder went there and went over applications for a five year period and in no instance did he find any application with a hieroglyphic on the corner or any place except as marked on these few applications. Now I simply want you to know that. There are a lot of other points I am not going to take your time on.

I want to make this statement. My decisions have been based this year on what I honestly think is right for the Shrine. They have been based on the best information available at the time and only in each instance after consultation with members of our legal staff. If, however, any fault or blame attaches to my decisions I want you to know that it is mine and mine alone and I accept it. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The Chair recognizes George Foster.

NOBLE GEORGE C. FOSTER: As Chairman of Grievances and Appeals Committee I think this is perhaps the most opportune time that has presented itself through the many years since I have been on the Grievances and Appeals Committee. Your

Grievances and Appeals Committee is comprised of Representatives appointed by law before these matters occur in most instances. In other words, a new Imperial Potentate will appoint a Grievances and Appeals Committee. He doesn't know at this time what his rulings will be. The Grievances and Appeals Committee are available through the year. In this particular instance we come here representing our respective Temples and in at least two instances, if not more, there are matters of great concern and interest to our Temples: 1, Jurisdictional Lines; 2, Per Capita Tax and other matters of interest.

We of the Grievances and Appeals Committee conduct a hearing in a patchwork quilt manner. There is merit to some of the statements made. Gentlemen, I am not talking for your votes one way or the other on this resolution because I have spent all of my time in this building to bring about a report that will neither affect in one way or the other the rights for these Nobles to wear their fez because there is nothing that we can do about that, but there is no rule of procedure. The appellants were most unhappy and offered objections and the objections were well presented and well taken. I believe the witnesses for the other side, they were unhappy. They objected. And I might add that as Chairman of your Committee, and I think I speak for the rest of the Committee, I was unhappy.

This has gone on for years. I have been a part of it. It didn't get as bad as it has this year and it is high time, Representatives, that some ground rules be made and spelled out as you have in the prerequisite bodies where a man is charged with something he knows what he has to do. His accusers know what they have to do. We do not have any such procedure in the Imperial Council and it is high time that you had one. Give it some thought. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The Chair recognizes Representative John Vesey.

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: Nobles, to begin with there is no way on earth for us to decide the issue on the merits as far as guilt or non-guilt. There is no information before us. There is no question that an Imperial Potentate has the right to remove men from office if he believes they are guilty. I think it is unfortunate that charges were not preferred in his own Temple. They should have been tried in his own Temple and then let him appeal after he faces the accusers and be convicted, then let him appeal to us from that decision. But these things should first be tried in the local Temple. They shouldn't be handled first from the Supreme Court. (*Applause*) I just suggest that.

Now in order to get through, whoever made that motion for that report I hope he will permit it to be amended so that these men will be exonerated or at least their suspension will be lifted at the end of this Session which restores them as Shriners. I say they should be restored and sent back to their own Temple and their own Temple instructed to try them in regular order and then if they want to come back here next year where we have some information on the subject then we can hear it. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, for your information these suspensions expire automatically when this Session is adjourned today. I wanted you to have that information.

Now may I refresh your recollection by reading the concluding paragraph from the report of the Committee on Grievances and Appeals. (*Reading*)

The Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws further ruled that the action of the Imperial Potentate in suspending these Nobles did not present a justiciable controversy subject to review by the Committee on Grievances and Appeals under the Iowa By-Laws in effect at that time.

So the Chair will rule, unless there is an objection, that this report will be received merely as information and filed in the records. Do I have your consent?

NOBLE ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.: May I be heard? I don't object, as the man you just listened to, to this report being received, but these three men who have been denied the privilege of wearing a fez until noon today, so they can be paid off in a private feud, don't want a whitewash; they want remission of the suspensions. Then if anybody in Sphinx Temple, including the present Imperial Potentate who is a member of Sphinx, wants to try them the way we try people in America, then try them in their Temple.

A lot of Representatives don't realize there are two ways a man gets suspended. One is through the procedure in his own Temple where his rights are preserved,—the rights to hear the charges, and the rights to answer and have an impartial jury. I don't think the average Shriner realizes it—if he did he wouldn't talk out loud maybe—but it is in the power of your newly elected Imperial Potentate Brock this afternoon to take umbrage at something you say to him and as an individual act suspend you until next July, and there isn't one thing you can do about it until next July, and that just ain't cricket and ought to be changed!

These men have been unjustly suspended down to now and it doesn't heal their wounds to sweep it under the rug and, as a matter of fact, it was kept so late that you weren't intended to hear my story.

VOICES: No! No!

NOBLE ROBERT GARDINER WILSON, JR.: Well, that is what it looks like. So I ask that you repudiate that suspension.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, will you agree with me that since this report is filed as information that we should pass on to other business? There is nothing we can do at this Session.

NOBLE DAVID B. SOLOFF: Mr. Chairman, is not the ruling of this Committee in effect that the Imperial Potentate can take any action that he desires on any Noble and not be subject to review of this august body? I am not arguing the matter. You say this is not a justiciable issue.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The Committee says that, not me.

NOBLE DAVID B. SOLOFF: But you were on the Committee. I am not arguing. I want to know if the effect from the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee is that when an Imperial Potentate acts that it is not a justiciable issue to be heard by this body.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I will refer that question to the Chairman of my Committee, Judge Brown.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir and fellow Representatives. At the time that these suspensions took place the powers of the Grievances and Appeals Committee were as follows. (*Reading*)

All matters of controversy, appeal or grievance presented to the Imperial Council shall be referred to the Committee on Grievances and Appeals, whose duty it shall be to examine into and report thereon. It shall meet at least one day in advance of the meeting of the session, at which time it shall be placed in possession of all papers and matters pertaining to the work of the committee.

Now the Code that you adopted reads as follows, which was not in effect at the time these suspensions took place. (*Reading*)

The Grievances and Appeals Committee shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning all matters of controversy, grievance, and appeal presented to the Imperial Council, and the actions and recommendations of the Imperial Potentate regarding suspensions or expulsions of Nobles and the arrest of a charter or suspension of the work of a Temple.

This has been added now. (*Continued Reading*)

It shall have power to receive evidence and hear arguments; and it shall afford any Noble, Officer, Temple or organization of Nobles or Temples the right to appear and be heard.

That is the law now.

NOBLE JACK B. LEE: Mr. Chairman, gentlemen. If there has been any doubt in our minds regarding some of the reasons for the sharp decline in Masonic membership there can today no longer be such doubt. I ask you to overlook completely the emotional overtones which have been injected into this meeting and consider only the facts. Our Imperial Potentate after due investigation and consideration has taken action which is within his authority which he has deemed right and proper and which since it concerns his own Temple must have been extremely unpleasant for him. If we as Imperial Representatives, many of us being Potentates and Chief Rabbans of our Temples, fail to support the Imperial Potentate and the Imperial Divan in this matter today we shall witness far reaching effects from our actions in the future. For future Imperial Potentates may then hesitate to take action where necessary even where such action may be requested by you or by me as Potentate of the Temple concerned. As Potentate of Alzafar Temple I shall support the Imperial Potentate and I ask you to do the same. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, unless there is serious objection and with nothing before this body from the report of the Grievances and Appeals Committee the Chair will rule that the matter is—

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: Just a moment, I am sneaking up behind you again.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: All right, Judge.

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: Gentlemen, I am sure we are all sad that our proceedings here should have been marred by an incident which we are so much in doubt on that none of us know if we have been fair. We don't have rules in this country or in mine that are written about how men are tried. These are born in our blood and given to us by our ancestors who fought and died to preserve fair trial for the rights of an individual. I know nothing about the change in the language of the Code although I was on that Committee. I do know that it was the intention that a man should have the right of appeal to a hearing body called

Grievances and Appeals and that it should report and we, this body, should then decide on the fitness not only of the conclusions but of the process by which the proceedings were reached. I am not satisfied that these proceedings were of a nature that involved an observance of the rules of fairness.

I am moved to say what I do by what John Vesey said. If we now merely receive this report these three men carry a blight and they carry it for the rest of their Masonic life and their children have it burned into their souls and their friends who might be Masons are bound to divide in opinion about their guilt. So I am going to suggest, and I don't quite know how I am going to do it with the parliamentarian, but I would like to work out something that would evolve this result. That in view of the unsatisfactory record that has been brought before us precluding us from passing judgment on the facts, as we are bound to do as the final court at this meeting, that we declare these proceedings to be irregular and void and direct that this matter be sent back to its own Temple, to the members' Temple, for such action as in the circumstances that Temple thinks to be sound.

Now I don't want to get into any tangle over procedure here. I do want this meeting to say we are incapable of judging the merits of this thing. We are not going to send these men out innocent or guilty. We are going to send them back for a fair trial because we cannot determine what they did.

Whatever machinery is adopted I will adopt with the Chairman's aid if you are in a mood to deal with it that way. (*Applause*)

NOBLE CHARLES E. MERRILL: I second that motion.

NOBLE RUFUS E. CRAVEN: With all due respect to Judge Wilson I am wondering why a man from Sphinx Temple, a Representative to this Council, cannot speak for those people from Sphinx Temple. If it were Al Chymia Temple I am sure I could speak to this Session where I am a Representative of Al Chymia. Thank you.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: The Chair recognizes the Representative from Ainad Temple.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Of course, I knew nothing about this report until it was read. Your Committee on Grievances and Appeals heard various witnesses and examined various documents presented in this matter. The Committee on Grievances and Appeals has received a ruling from the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws that the Imperial Potentate was acting within the provisions of Section 35 of Article VII of the By-laws of the Iowa Corporation whereunder he had the right to suspend any Officers of any Temple for violation or disobedience of the Articles of Incorporation, By-laws, Code, Regulations or Edicts of the Imperial Council, or for violation or disobedience of Edicts, General or Special Orders, or Instructions issued by the Imperial Potentate. The Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws further rules that the action of the Imperial Potentate in suspending these Nobles did not present a justiciable—to be honest about it I have never said that word before—

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: That is the correct pronunciation, yes. (*Laughter*)

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Am I clever.

Justiciable controversy subject to review by the Committee on Grievances and Appeals under the Iowa By-laws in effect at that time.

What do we have here? We have here a ruling from the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee that the Imperial Potentate was within his rights to make the decision that he made and that the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws further makes the ruling about this justiciable business. The Committee on Grievances and Appeals asked the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws.

As one who speaks in a moderate tone, neither high or low, I don't fall for the loud voice which winds up with a jab between the ribs. Neither do I go entirely for the soft stuff. But I do somehow or other evaluate.

Let's start as to how we got it as the news. In speaking about another matter a spokesman with a, may I say, very pointed reference stated that our Imperial Potentate had made an offer of a deal. In very soft tones, which is his manner of speaking, the Imperial Potentate denied categorically that he had said that. Now you were sitting here and I am not saying whether to believe either one or the other. We can only believe one and make that decision. Now are we going through the whole blooming thing here and try this case before us?

I happen to know the Chairman of the Committee on Grievances and Appeals. He is a neighbor of mine. He hasn't spoken to me about this. I did not know what the report was. Nobody can cast any aspersions on his character. He is a lawyer and a good lawyer. He is a fair man. He has come before this Imperial Council with reports that were against Imperial Officers' recommendations. Today he comes in favor of one or at least saying there is nothing else they can do.

I tell you in my judgment, and I hold no brief for anything else but a fair deal all around, that I am inclined to accept and receive the report of Grievances and Appeals and let it go at that. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, again for your information, all that the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws was asked by the Committee on Grievances and Appeals was whether or not at the time this action was taken by the Imperial Potentate under the provisions of the old Iowa Code was he correct and within his rights in what he did and we answered that he was. No facts were given to our Committee. We weren't interested in it. We were only to answer the legal question that was propounded.

Now this I would like, please, in order to get this out of the way. The motion is that this report be received as information and filed in the record. So many as favor that will signify by saying, "Aye."

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: May I be heard?

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: You can come back.

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: Gentlemen, I told you I was having a little difficulty and it is getting difficult because my friend Jordan has functioned as Chairman and now advisor, but I think we can overcome the difficulty.

We are now being asked to receive, and I think it means receive, and file this report. That motion is before you and I think you will have to eliminate it before I can put before you the motion whose purpose I outlined earlier. But I ask you now, therefore, to accept this motion and support it and I promise you I will make the other motion so you can divide as you choose on the issue of merit; namely, has there been a proper trial?

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, so many as favor the acceptance of the report and file in the records say, "Aye." Opposed, "No." The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and it is carried.

Now, Imperial Sir, may I take just one brief moment to rise to a point of personal privilege. In the last days of April or the first days of May I received a telephone call from our Imperial Recorder in Chicago advising me that the Imperial Potentate had created a Special Committee known as Special Deputies to assist him in promulgating to the fullest extent information relative to the report of the Revision Committee and would I come to Chicago and attend that meeting. I went to Chicago. I got there one day and left the next day. At that time the Imperial Potentate, not being a lawyer himself, asked me if I would agree to serve as Parliamentarian at this Session, which I have done in previous Sessions, and I told him that I was perfectly willing to serve him in any manner possible.

I did not know until this Imperial Session was open that the Imperial Potentate would request me from time to time to assume the Chair. I have followed his instructions and requests and I am just one of you fellows, a simple Representative, and that is the reason that I have participated to the small extent that I have and I thank you for the courtesies you have extended me while I have occupied this podium. (*Applause*)

NOBLE MARSHALL M. PORTER: And may I, Sir, I am sure on behalf of all of us here thank you for your efforts. (*Applause*)

I move that the contents of the report which has just been received and filed being in the opinion of this gathering inadequate to enable it to perform its duty of determining the guilt or innocence of those charged, that the proceedings shall be declared to be invalid and a nullity, and the issues involved returned to the Temple from which these men come, there to be dealt with as the members of that Temple may in their sovereign right decide. (*Applause*)

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: I would like to second that motion. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I recognize Imperial Sir Charles Merrill.

NOBLE CHARLES E. MERRILL: My very good friends, it is so nice to come before you and say that I would also like to have the privilege of supporting the motion of our good Judge and I understand in supporting this motion that the suspensions will be vacated as of now and I so support the motion. (*Applause*)

VOICES: Question! Question!

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, you have heard the motion which has been seconded. Is there any further question? The question has been called for.

NOBLE JAMES F. IRISH: Imperial Sir, I would like to amend that motion to provide that the suspensions be vacated as of May 4, 1964.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: I will have to rule that out of order because the previous question was called for. I am sorry, the previous question was called for.

NOBLE JACK NORMAN, JR.: Are we now repudiating the action of the Imperial Potentate either now or back in May?

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: If this motion is carried you are repudiating the

action of the Imperial Potentate with respect to his own Temple, Sphinx Temple, in my opinion.

NOBLE JACK NORMAN, JR.: That is what I understood. If we are going to do this we might as well not have an Imperial Potentate.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: So many as favor the motion made by Judge Imperial Sir Marshall Porter will signify by saying, "Aye." Those opposed will say, "No." The Chair is unable to decide.

Now let me make one suggestion. They are not as crowded today as yesterday but a lot of these Aye and No votes are coming from the balcony. This time let's have only the Representatives vote on this question.

So many as favor the adoption of the motion of Imperial Sir Marshall Porter will please stand. (*Representatives stood.*) You may be seated. So many as oppose this motion will please stand. (*Representatives stood.*) The Chair declares that the motion is carried. (*Applause*)

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Potentate, fellow Representatives. I am confident that Imperial Marshall Porter did not make this motion with any idea of repudiating your Imperial Potentate. The report of the Committee had been received. I seconded that motion in good faith and with an idea of justice and returning to States' Rights, which I firmly believe, and Temple Rights—(*Applause*)—and in Temple Rights that I so firmly declared to you yesterday and before and will repeat again and again.

I want this to go back to the Temple from whence it came. I am not saying here whether I believe the Imperial Potentate was right or wrong but being my Chief I would support him and do support him as I want you to support me. I believe in justice for these Nobles that in justice and proper procedure that it should go back to the local level where it belongs and I appreciate your feeling in this matter and this vote of confidence. Thank you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, there is nothing before you at the present time. I do want to make a brief statement. I am sure you recognize this is not only a difficult year and decision for me, it is difficult for those involved. Certainly as far as I personally am concerned I have no further desire to do anything else, have trials in my Temple or anything. As far as I am concerned the matter is closed. (*Applause*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, I understand that Imperial Sir Melham has a couple of items that he omitted in his report that he would like to get in the record.

NOBLE THOMAS W. MELHAM: Mr. Chairman and Representatives. In order to carry out the wishes of the Imperial Potentate-elect accepting the suggestion of the present Imperial Potentate to employ up to three persons, I think it is, to provide a closer contact between Central Office and individual subordinate Temples, it is necessary that I come before you to ask for additional appropriations of \$5,000 for 1964 and \$20,000 for 1965, both of these items for the respective years to be credited to the Imperial Recorder's office salaries.

If there are no questions I move you Sir, Mr. Chairman, that these additional amounts be removed forthwith from the general fund surplus so they can be taken care of. I understand one of the employees has been secured. Is that clear?

NOBLE JOHN B. VESEY: Second.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Any discussion? If not, as many as favor the motion say, "Aye." Opposed, "No." The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and so ordered.

I now understand that Illustrious "Bud" James has a resolution from the Special Resolutions Committee.

NOBLE ROBERT "BUD" JAMES: We have two resolutions. Prior to passing on these resolutions I think this complete assembly should express in the best method possible appreciation for the method in which the business of the Session has been carried on. (*Applause*)

I would like to offer this special resolution that I am sure the residents of New York will appreciate. (*Reading*)

WHEREAS, this 90th Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine has been one of the most successful meetings in the history of our organization, and

WHEREAS, this has been due in large measure to the warm reception accorded us by the people of New York City. In spite of publicity of civil disturbances, our members, their families and friends, have been met with courtesy and friendliness, and

WHEREAS, the only incidents attending our meetings and parades have been happy ones. We have found the traditional attractions of New York to be brighter than ever and the World's Fair to be a magnificent exposition, and

WHEREAS, we are especially grateful to the New York Convention and Visitors Bureau and the Hotel Association of New York City for their invaluable assistance. The Bureau supervised the housing of our delegates and carried out this tremendous task with remarkable efficiency.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED: This 90th Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine commends Mayor Wagner, municipal authorities and the people of New York City for their hospitality; we commend the New York Convention and Visitors Bureau and the Hotel Association of the City of New York for their invaluable contributions to the success of this meeting.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

ROBERT "BUD" JAMES, *Chairman*
 ROBERT T. RUSSELL
 G. WILBUR BELL
 WILLIAM B. ARTZ
 FRED G. MCBRIEN
 CHARLES A. HARRIS
 TED CUTLER

This is signed by your Resolutions Committee. I move its passage.

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, you have heard the motion. Is it seconded? (*Motion seconded*) Any discussion? So many as favor say, "Aye." Opposed "No." The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and carried.

NOBLE ROBERT "BUD" JAMES: (*Reading*)

WHEREAS, this being the 90th Annual Session of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N. M.S., convened in the mightiest of cities within the Empire State of this great nation at a time and under circumstances of significant import and decision for our beloved Fraternity, and

WHEREAS, Mecca and Kismet Temples, through masterful planning combined with warm hospitality have created an atmosphere of solemnity but without austerity, efficiency but without regimentation by which our deliberations have borne precious fruit and wise decisions; and

WHEREAS, contributions of this bountiful harvest and historic judgment have found their source in the hearts and minds of so many dedicated and devoted Nobles, individual mention within the confines of this resolution approaches the impossible, we nevertheless call forth the names of Harold C. Close, Imperial Potentate, as the image of inspired and sacrificial leadership with those of:

Imperial Recorder, George M. Saunders; Illustrious Sir Alfred J. Cawse, Jr., Potentate of Mecca Temple; Illustrious Sir George A. Harken, Potentate of Kismet Temple;

Illustrious Past Potentate Clifford E. Brundage, Director-General of this Imperial Council Session; and

WHEREAS, that necessary ingredient of dignified prestige was brought to our Convention by the presence and approval of the following persons of prominence:

The Most Worshipful Irving Emerson Partridge, Grand Master of Masons, State of Connecticut; The Most Worshipful Clarence J. Henry, Grand Master of Masons, State of New York, and Hon. Robert F. Wagner as represented by his able assistant.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Imperial Council, Delegates and Nobles in attendance at this 90th Annual Session, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, by this resolution do make it ever known our gratitude, while we congratulate Mecca and Kismet Temples, those individuals specifically set forth in this resolution, the officials of this great metropolis, the media of press, radio and television, and particularly the law enforcement bodies for their understanding, cooperation and dedication in the performance of their duties during the difficulties created by the influx of our activity.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that these expressions are made known to those herein-named by copies of this resolution being provided to them so that they may, from this date on, serve to refresh their memories of this important and enjoyable occasion.

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And I so move the passage of this resolution. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Any discussion? As many as favor signify by saying "Aye." Opposed, "No." The Ayes seem to have it. The Ayes have it and the motion is carried.

The Chair is advised that Illustrious Bill Schnorr, Potentate of El Zaribah Temple, wishes to be heard very briefly.

NOBLE WILLIAM R. SCHNORR: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, fellow Representatives. I have a resolution that I would like to present before you right at this moment. (*Reading*)

RESOLVED, that pursuant to the recommendation contained in the Annual Report of the Imperial Potentate to this Session for the continuation, establishment and improvement of the closest possible liaison between Temples and the Chicago Headquarters, it is the consensus of this meeting that this recommendation should be approved and implemented by the next administration.

I move you the adoption of this resolution. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.: Nobles, you have heard the motion and second. As many as favor signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed, "No." The motion is carried and it will be filed among the records.

Now Imperial Sir, may I be relieved from this responsibility at this podium for this Session. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I certainly want to thank you.

Nobles, if you will bear with us I would like to get this Session concluded as soon as we can. We do have some necessary items yet to consider.

I have an item here on public relations. I am not going to take any time on that—you have all received, I believe, this outline of our Public Relations Committee—unless there are some questions. I do want you to know, however, you have had these communications and newsletters by our Director of Public Relations. I think you should know what he looks like and I am happy to introduce to you at this time Sture Pierson who is Director of our Public Relations Department in Chicago. (*Applause*)

Now we have a report from the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.

NOBLE ROBERT H. FOUKE: Imperial Sir, members of the Imperial Divan and Nobles. (*Reading*)
To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to Section 204.2 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to Special Sessions, to read as follows:

Section 204.2 Special Sessions. A special session of the Imperial Council may be called by the Imperial Potentate in an emergency; and he shall call a special session upon the written request of 150 Representatives, at least 85 of whom are members of different Temples.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal

form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*

ROBERT H. FOUKE

ELMER P. BROMLEY

WARREN L. JONES

EDWIN K. STEERS

JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.

WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

This is submitted by the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws and signed by all members of the Committee. Imperial Sir, I move you the adoption of this resolution. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Will you remark upon the motion?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. The motion is carried.

Another report from the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws.

NOBLE EDWIN K. STEERS: (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to Section 204.3 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to a Quorum, to read as follows:

Section 204.3 Quorum. 150 Representatives, at least 85 of whom are members of different Temples, shall constitute a quorum.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provisions of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

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For the purpose of bringing this amendment to the Imperial Council I move you the adoption of this amendment. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, we have a question here. I think this requires two-thirds affirmative vote of the registered Representatives. There is doubt in my mind whether we have that number here.

VOICE: Sure we have!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You have heard the proposed amendment and it is moved to be adopted. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair two-thirds of those registered have voted Aye. (*Laughter*)

I recognize Judge Warren Jones of Jurisprudence and Laws.

NOBLE WARREN L. JONES: (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to Section 206.1 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to Titles, to read as follows:

Section 206.1 Titles. The officers of the Imperial Council are:

- (a) Imperial Potentate, President;
 - (b) Deputy Imperial Potentate, First Vice President;
 - (c) Imperial Chief Rabban, Second Vice President
 - (d) Imperial Assistant Rabban;
 - (e) Imperial High Priest;
 - (f) Imperial Oriental Guide;
 - (g) Imperial Treasurer;
 - (h) Imperial Recorder, Secretary;
 - (i) Imperial First Ceremonial Master;
 - (j) Imperial Second Ceremonial Master;
 - (k) Imperial Marshal;
 - (l) Imperial Captain of the Guard; and
 - (m) Imperial Outer Guard;
- who collectively are the Imperial Divan.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

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ELMER P. BROMLEY

WARREN L. JONES

EDWIN K. STEERS

JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.

WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

The report is submitted by the entire Committee. I move the approval of the report and adoption of the amendment. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, this again requires two-thirds. You have heard the proposed amendment and the move to adopt it. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed, "No." In the opinion of the Chair the motion is lost. We do not have two-thirds of the registered Representatives voting. In regard to previous questions where there was no opposition we have had a question on a two-thirds vote where nobody opposed it and still not enough present to adopt the resolution.

I recognize Noble Bromley of Jurisprudence and Laws.

NOBLE ELMER P. BROMLEY: (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to Section 213.1 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to the Fez, to read as follows:

Section 213.1 Fez. The exclusive head covering of the Order shall be the red fez with a black tassel.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*

ROBERT H. FOUKE

ELMER P. BROMLEY

WARREN L. JONES

EDWIN K. STEERS

JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.

WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

The report has been signed by every member of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee and I move the adoption of the report and the amendment to the Code. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, it is moved and seconded. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair it sounded like a two-thirds vote and I declare it adopted. (*Applause*)

All this does is eliminate the word "Turkish" as I understand it which does permit the wearing of straw fezzes if they so desire.

I recognize Noble Knowlton of Jurisprudence and Laws.

NOBLE WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON: (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the proposed amendment to Section 320.1 of the By-Laws of the Iowa Corporation, relating to Name, to read as follows:

Section 320.1 Name. Every Temple must select an appropriate name, approved by the Imperial Council.

The Committee reports that the proposed amendment is in proper and legal form and not in conflict with any provision of the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or Code.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*

ROBERT H. FOUKE

ELMER P. BROMLEY

WARREN L. JONES

EDWIN K. STEERS

JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.

WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

The report is signed by all members of the Committee. I move, Sir, that the report be accepted and the amendment adopted. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair it is adopted. Any question? (*Applause*)

Is there any other report from the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee?

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir. (*Reading*)

To the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

There have been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the rulings and decisions of the Imperial Potentate as reported to this session of the Imperial Council in his report which has been printed and distributed to the Representatives.

These decisions and rulings have been considered, and the Committee recommends that they be approved, ratified and confirmed, except such as are in conflict with the action of this Imperial Council.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*

ELMER P. BROMLEY

WARREN L. JONES

WILLIAM H. KNOWLTON

EDWIN K. STEERS

JOHN Y. JORDAN, JR.

ROBERT H. FOUKE

The report is signed by all members of the Committee. Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of the report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion on the adoption of the report. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor say, "Aye." Opposed, "No." Adopted.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir and Representatives. (*Reading*)

I move you, Sir, that all of the acts and transactions of the Imperial Officers, the Board of Directors, and others, for the Iowa Corporation for the past year and at this Session be ratified and approved, except such as are in conflict with the action of this Imperial Council.

I so move. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion. All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

Nobles, we have a communication from Khartum Temple relating to their Pan American Games and their Centennial Year. Instead of taking time to read this if there is no objection I will see that it is printed in the proceedings of the meeting.

(Here follows the communication from Khartum Temple.)

Imperial Sir, members of your Imperial Divan,
Delegates to this Imperial Session and Nobles:

I am very happy to bring you greetings from Khartum Temple of Winnipeg, Canada, and once more remind you that Winnipeg will not only be hosting the Pan American Games in 1967, Canada's Centennial Year, but God willing, will be the host for the Summer Meeting of the Midwest Shrine Association, when we hope our Past Potentate Archie McMillan will be President of the Midwest Shrine Association.

At our Imperial Annual Session last year in Chicago, we expressed a wish that we might be favored with a representation from at least one Temple from every State in the Union, and every Province of Canada and Mexico to visit Winnipeg along with our Midwest Shrine Association Temples.

It is a pleasure to again extend this invitation to you at this early date so that you will have lots of time to prepare your plans, and it is our fervent wish that we may see many of you in August 1967 in our part of the country.

Thank you for allowing me to present this proposal to you and we hope that our successors in office will be able to bring this announcement to you each year until our big event.

James A. Ogden,
Ill. Potentate

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Recorder, do you have any other matters?

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: The only thing remaining on the desk of the Imperial Recorder is the installation of the new Imperial Officers.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: And the notification of where and how we get our checks. Don't forget that. (*Laughter*)

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: The checks will be given out at the checkroom window at the floor below this, the same window at which you registered.

VOICE: Now?

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: At the conclusion of the Session.

Past Imperial Potentate Harvey A. Beffa will install the Officers.

(The Imperial Officers-elect assumed the obligation of office conferred by Past Imperial Potentate Beffa.)

PAST IMPERIAL POTENTATE BEFFA: Imperial Potentate, would you stand in front, please.

Imperial Sir O. Carlyle Brock and members of this Imperial Divan. By authority vested in me I declare you, Imperial Sir, and your Officers duly installed and may God bless you all and may you, Sir, and your Officers have a successful term for the benefit of the Shrine, and may I have the privilege, Imperial Sir, of pinning on you the authority of your office, the badge of the Imperial Potentate. (*Standing applause*)

The Officers are duly installed.

PAST IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Imperial Sir, I want to have the privilege of presenting this gavel to you and express to you and the other members of the Divan, you particularly, the pleasure and honor I have had in working with you all the last eleven years. I wish you a most successful administration. I know the Shrine is going to move forward under your leadership. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE BROCK: I believe Rev. Camp wants to present the jewel of office to Bishop Joseph M. Harte of Phoenix, Arizona, my Pastor.

REV. AND NOBLE RUSSELL E. CAMP: Nobles, may I say this as I do this. I have very humbly sought to be the voice of your prayers. I trust that in some measure I have been helpful. I turn this over to a spiritual leader that he may continue to be your spiritual guide and the voice of your prayers for the coming year. (*Applause*)

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Rev. Camp, would you come back just a minute please. It is a pleasure for me in the name of this Imperial Council and in appreciation for your service as Imperial Chaplain throughout the last year and during this Session to present in the name of this Imperial Council a Past Imperial Chaplain's jewel to you. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE BROCK: I believe Past Imperial Potentate George Klepper has a mission to perform.

PAST IMPERIAL POTENTATE KLEPPER: Imperial Sir, fellow Imperial Officers, past and present, and Representatives. Harold, will you come forward. Some eleven years ago in this great city our Past Imperial Potentate, our beloved Tom Law, I

believe addressed his remarks to you and told you that you were entering into a life that would be pleasant and that you would have a wonderful journey of some eleven years that would go very fast. I am sure that is true. Harold, I have had the pleasure of serving with you in the Imperial Line for ten years and I want to take this opportunity of presenting you with your Past Imperial Potentate's jewel and assuring you that you will be received into the dearest organization that you have ever seen, the Past Imperial Potentates. (*Laughter and applause*)

PAST IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Thank you, George. I just want to express my appreciation also to George Klepper. He of course was ahead of me all the time in the Imperial Line. George has been a fine gentleman all these years and we have been friends together and I am honored to have this presented by George Klepper this morning. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE BROCK: Now I believe the Potentate of El Zaribah Temple has a mission to perform. Bishop Harte, you look a little naked with that fez.

NOBLE WILLIAM R. SCHNORR: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, fellow Representatives. It is indeed a pleasure and honor to stand here as Potentate of El Zaribah Temple in the State of Arizona and have a man here who is our Imperial Chaplain for this coming year. The guidance that he has given in Arizona, the work that he has done for God in the creation of man, believe me I feel really humble in presenting him with this Imperial Chaplain's fez. Bishop Harte, believe me it is with sincerity deep down in my heart that I pray to God that the guidance you will give us this year will continue with the Shrine forever. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE BROCK: Despite his title and the exalted position that he holds as Bishop of Arizona you will learn to love him and call him Joe as I have done. (*Applause*)

Imperial Sirs and Representatives. I wish to publicly congratulate each and every one of you on advancement to a new post. I pledge you my support and loyalty and to you fellow Representatives I have never in my life been unsure of myself. I don't mean that I have been reckless or egotistical but I have never been more sure in my life that I am at this moment. (*Applause*)

Each of you and especially you, Vic, the baby member of this Imperial Line, you will find that this is the grandest experience that you have ever known. I would like to say all these things to each and every one of you and I do collectively but I address my remarks to the new member of this Imperial Divan. As I have said before, this great body is capable of selecting its leaders and those leaders are surely competent to act. We will never prove you false. This we are dedicated to. This we pledge to each other. This we pledge anew again. You will find, Vic, that you now have a dozen more brothers than you once had. This is the greatest family that any man has ever been elected into. It is the grandest experience, the highest honor. I am sure I would prefer to be the Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America than to be President of these great United States. (*Applause*)

That is the power I attach to this office, the respect I give to it, the feeling I have for it, and the feeling through the years as I have moved onward and upward, that you will sense and feel. I know that Chick MacGregor has begun to feel that sense of belonging, belonging to a great family of rugged individuals. We may quarrel and fight among ourselves but God pity the individual who picks on any one of us. (*Applause*)

So, Vic, I welcome you to this great family on behalf of this Imperial Council and you, Joe, who was my pastor in Erie for many years and our friendship has endured since that time, you and your lovely wife will certainly be most welcome in this great family, this Imperial family, that you will cherish always.

Now, my Brethren, we are going to adjourn this meeting. Before that Imperial Sir George Saunders is going to announce my Committee list which is not yet complete. I rose at five o'clock this morning to do it but did not quite complete it.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: The members of the Board of Directors will meet in the Beekman Room, on the floor below this, at one-thirty. That will give you time to get lunch and come to the meeting.

The Imperial Potentate's Committee list. (*Reading*)

General Counsel

Stanley Garrity, Midian Temple

Auditor

Arthur C. Upleger, Karem Temple

Imperial Chaplain

Rt. Rev. Joseph M. Harte, El Zaribah Temple

Regional Deputies for the Imperial Potentate

Barney W. Collins, Deputy Imperial Potentate
Western Shrine Association

Charles E. Merrill, Imperial Chief Rabban
Great Lakes Shrine Association
A. Ohio Shrine Association
B. Indiana Shrine Association
C. Illinois Shrine Association

Orville F. Rush, Imperial Assistant Rabban
Southeastern Shrine Association
A. Dixie Shrine Association
B. Tennessee Shrine Association
C. Georgia Shrine Association
D. Shrine Directors Association

Thomas F. Seay, Imperial High Priest & Prophet
Central States Shrine Association

Chester A. Hogan, Imperial Oriental Guide
Pacific Northwest Shrine Association

J. Worth Baker, Imperial First Ceremonial Master
Midwest Shrine Association

Edgar L. Turner, Imperial Second Ceremonial Master
Northeast Shrine Association

Aubrey G. Graham, Imperial Marshal
Mid-Atlantic Shrine Association
A. Pennsylvania Shrine Association

C. P. MacGregor, Imperial Captain of the Guard
New York-Ontario Shrine Association

C. Victor Thornton, Imperial Outer Guard
Texas Shrine Association

George M. Saunders, Imperial Recorder
Shrine Recorders Association

Jurisprudence and Laws

Orville F. Rush, *Liaison Officer*

Warren L. Jones, Morocco Temple, *Chairman*

John Y. Jordan, Jr., Oasis Temple

S. Ken Briggs, Korein Temple

Robert H. Fouke, Aahmes Temple

Merwyn H. Brown, Kerak Temple

William H. Knowlton, Tadmor Temple

Elmer P. Bromley, Al Malaikah Temple

Dispensations and Charters

J. Worth Baker, *Liaison Officer*

Kenneth T. Paxton, Syria Temple, *Chairman*

Claude B. Squires, Oasis Temple

Kenneth B. Hall, Al Kader Temple

Louis Chackes, Ainad Temple

Harvey B. Leggee, Aleppo Temple

Virgil F. Frizzell, Beni Kedem Temple

Paul B. McCray, Kaaba Temple

Finance and Accounts

Barney W. Collins, *Liaison Officer*

James A. McKnight, Zem Zem Temple, *Chairman*

Jesse A. White, Khedive Temple

Lewis S. Parsons, El Jebel Temple

B. W. Vetter, Akdar Temple

Thomas W. Melham, Tripoli Temple

Lincoln G. Kelly, El Kalah Temple

J. Carroll Hinsley, Ben Hur Temple

Jurisdictional Lines

Thomas F. Seay, *Liaison Officer*

Leslie H. Swan, India Temple, *Chairman*

Charles G. White, Al Koran Temple

Arthur E. Armitage, Sr., Crescent

Lowell E. Braden, Islam Temple

Temple

Quinn Glover, Scimitar Temple

Cecil B. Walrath, Affi Temple

Clarence M. Sheasley, Syria Temple

Grievances and Appeals

Charles E. Merrill, *Liaison Officer*

Earl Sachse, Zor Temple, *Chairman*

Henry P. Bronkie, Ismailia Temple

Alex Acey, Moslem Temple

Herbert T. White, Tangier Temple

George C. Foster, Moolah Temple

Edwin F. Baertschi, Zenobia Temple

John B. Vesey, Al Chymia Temple

Membership

C. P. MacGregor, *Liaison Officer*

George E. Stringfellow, Past Imperial Potentate, (Crescent Temple), *Chairman*

Orville F. Rush, Imperial Assistant Rabban, (Kena Temple), *Vice Chairman*

Executive Members:

John McKee, Past Grand Master of Masons, State of Texas, and Past Potentate, Hella Temple

Robert H. Fouke, Past Potentate, Aahmes Temple

Paul B. McCray (former Chairman, Imperial Council Membership Committee) and Past Potentate, Kaaba Temple

Masonic Relations

C. P. MacGregor, Liaison Officer

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Orville F. Rush, Imperial Assistant Rabban, (Kena Temple), *Vice Chairman*

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Robert H. Fouke, Past Potentate, Aahmes Temple	

Publicity

C. P. MacGregor, Liaison Officer

George E. Stringfellow, Past Imperial Potentate, (Crescent Temple), *Chairman*
Orville F. Rush, Imperial Assistant Rabban, (Kena Temple), *Vice Chairman*

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Robert H. Fouke, Past Potentate, Aahmes Temple	

Philip Lesley Contract Committee

Harold C. Close, Sphinx Temple, <i>Chairman</i>	
O. Carlyle Brock, Zem Zem Temple	Chester A. Hogan, Affi Temple

Insurance

Chester A. Hogan, Liaison Officer

Charles E. Merrill, Moslem Temple, <i>Chairman</i>	
Thomas F. Seay, Medinah Temple, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	
Edgar L. Turner, Aleppo Temple	Harold C. Close, Sphinx Temple

Circus Advisory

Edgar L. Turner, Liaison Officer

Henry Wayne Latham, Melha Temple, <i>Chairman</i>	
Earl D. Creagor, Antioch Temple	Norman A. Dunham, El Jebel Temple
Onnie L. Freeman, Yaarab Temple	Herbert W. Case, Moslem Temple

Shrine Rooms

Leonard P. Steuart, Liaison Officer

Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple, <i>Chairman</i>	
Edward E. Buckley, Kena Temple	Hyman Brenner, Kena Temple
Layton S. Sorber, Kena Temple	Frederick Wilken, Almas Temple
John E. Posey, Kena Temple	Bernard D. Cooper, Almas Temple

Headquarters Imperial Session

O. Carlyle Brock, Zem Zem Temple, <i>Chairman</i>	
Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple	Donald A. Schimmel, Zem Zem Temple
James A. McKnight, Zem Zem Temple	Bernard D. Cooper, Almas Temple
Edward E. Buckley, Kena Temple	Frederick Wilken, Almas Temple

*Imperial Council Opening Ceremonies*O. Carlyle Brock, Zem Zem Temple, *Chairman*

Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple

Donald A. Schimmel, Zem Zem Temple

Edward E. Buckley, Kena Temple

Bernard D. Cooper, Almas Temple

James A. McKnight, Zem Zem Temple

Frederick Wilken, Almas Temple

J. R. Tomlinson, Anezeh Temple

Time and PlaceBarney W. Collins, Anezeh Temple, *Chairman*George M. Saunders, Ararat Temple, *Secretary*

Charles E. Merrill, Moslem Temple

Thomas F. Seay, Medinah Temple

Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple

Chester A. Hogan, Affi Temple

*Advisory Members:*Roderick H. Toffemire, Anezeh Temple,
Southwest AreaG. Wilbur Bell, Ansar Temple, Midwest
AreaVernon C. Holloway, Mahi Temple,
Southeast AreaArthur T. Bateman, Nile Temple, Pa-
cific Coast AreaHarold L. Gerringer, Lu Lu Temple,
Northeast Area**Imperial Potentate's Aides**Omar Carlyle Brock III, Kosair Temple, *Chairman*

James A. McKnight, Zem Zem Temple

Frank W. Beckwith, Sphinx Temple

Harry Mueller, Zem Zem Temple

George F. Thagard, Sr., El Bekal
Temple

Philip Sheridan, Islam Temple

William E. Mattison, Arabia Temple

Edward D. Heiman, Sphinx Temple

Harold Gill, Kerbela Temple

Emilio D'Acosta, Anezeh Temple

Robert Leonard, Moslah Temple

Kenneth T. Paxton, Syria Temple

William Yaeger, Zem Zem Temple

Alfred F. Porter, Syrian Temple

Warren Williams, Egypt Temple

Paul R. Jarratt, Al Menah Temple

John B. Nicklas, Jr., Syria Temple

Joseph C. Davidson, Moslem Temple

Harry Birmingham, Syria Temple

Jack F. Wolfram, Elf Khurafeh Temple

Berry B. Brooks, Al Chymia Temple

Robert J. Espie, Rameses Temple

Sam Braaton, Zem Zem Temple

Paul Swab, Zembo Temple

Chas. H. "Bud" Ellis, Murat Temple

Col. David B. Simpson, Zem Zem
Temple

Sigurd A. Bertelsen, Osman Temple

Edward E. Buckley, Kena Temple

Robert H. Austin, Kalurah Temple

Chas. H. Albrecht, Medinah Temple

Clarence Arata, Almas Temple

Winner Delp, Lu Lu Temple

Carl W. Trempf, Aleppo Temple

Clyde R. Swartz, Tripoli Temple

Stanley Czarnecki, Lu Lu Temple

George M. Klepper, Jr., Al Chymia
Temple**Nomination of Emeriti Members**Aubrey G. Graham, *Liaison Officer*Remmie L. Arnold, Acca Temple, *Chairman*

Gerald D. Crary, Naja Temple

J. B. Whittington, Oasis Temple

Herman L. Engelhardt, Aahmes Temple

Munger T. Ball, El Mina Temple

J. Henry Curdes, Mizpah Temple

Thomas D. Van Dine, Moslem Temple

Transactions of Imperial Officers

Leonard P. Steuart, Almas Temple, *Chairman*

Wm. H. Woodfield, Jr., Islam Temple	Thomas W. Melham, Tripoli Temple
Harold Lloyd, Al Malaikah Temple	George E. Stringfellow, Crescent Temple
Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple	George A. Mattison, Jr., Zamora Temple
Harvey A. Beffa, Moolah Temple	Marshall M. Porter, Al Azhar Temple
Remmie L. Arnold, Acca Temple	George M. Klepper, Al Chymia Temple
Walter C. Guy, Scimitar Temple	Harold C. Close, Sphinx Temple
Gerald D. Crary, Naja Temple	

Credentials

W. Howard Millington, Mirza Temple, *Chairman*

Election Tellers, Judges and Clerks

W. Clyde Oliver, Tebala Temple, *Chairman*

Committee on Code Amendments

Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple, *Chairman*

Marshall M. Porter, Al Azhar Temple	Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple
Stanley Garrity, Midian Temple	Barney W. Collins, Anezeh Temple
Warren L. Jones, Morocco Temple	Charles E. Merrill, Moslem Temple

Committee to Investigate Hospitals

Chester A. Hogan, *Liaison Officer*

Barney W. Collins, Anezeh Temple, *Chairman*

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple	Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple
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Transportation

Aubrey G. Graham, *Liaison Officer*

Carl H. Pierson, Mizpah Temple, *Chairman*

Fred B. Turner, Bahia Temple, *Vice Chairman*

Herbert C. Wallace, Medinah Temple	Robert W. Leonard, Moslah Temple
Ruter E. Coleman, Hasan Temple	Robert S. Schluraff, Zem Zem Temple

Imperial Officers' Cars

Clyde R. Swartz, Tripoli Temple, *Chairman*

Historian and Memorabilia

Fred Van Deventer, Crescent Temple, *Chairman*

Necrology

F. Lawrence Bulfinch, Bektash Temple, *Chairman*

That concludes the reading of the list, Imperial Sir.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE BROCK: There are other lesser Committees that I have not completed at the moment but will do so before the day comes to an end.

Imperial Sir Joseph Harte, will you close this Ninetieth Imperial Council Session with prayer.

RT. REV. AND NOBLE JOSEPH HARTE: Let us pray. Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, we beseech Thee with Thy Divine Favor to be with this great fraternity of North America. Lighten the hearts and minds of these men as they go their ways throughout these nations. Confirm and strengthen all the deliberations and decisions of this fraternity in the year ahead that our great land with its rare and precious heritage may be benefitted by every thought conceived, every word spoken and every pledge promised that our country may be further blessed with truth and justice and honor. Save our land from error, ignorance, pride and prejudice and from poor choices.

May all of this be to the honor of our beloved nation, to Thy Honor and Glory and to the good of men everywhere now and forever. Amen.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE BROCK: I declare this Ninetieth Imperial Council Session closed.

(The Ninetieth Annual Session of the Imperial Council adjourned at 12:30 P.M.)

ANNUAL REPORT OF LEONARD P. STEUART

IMPERIAL TREASURER, A.A.O.N.M.S.

JANUARY 1, 1963 — DECEMBER 31, 1963

WASHINGTON, D. C., DECEMBER 31, 1963

Imperial Potentate, Harold C. Close, Officers and Members of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., in Meeting assembled at New York, New York, on July 21, 1964.

IMPERIAL SIR AND REPRESENTATIVES TO THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL:

For the year from January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963 inclusive, there is submitted herewith a report of the Imperial Treasurer, A.A.O.N.M.S. A detail of funds expended upon Warrants numbered 525-1211 and 63001-63751 inclusive, and receipts as transmitted by the Imperial Recorder and other sources during the aforementioned period, accompany this report.

Respectfully submitted,
Yours in the Faith

L. P. STEUART, *Treasurer*
Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.

SUMMARY OF OPEN CASH ACCOUNTS

IMPERIAL COUNCIL, A. A. O. N. M. S.

L. P. Steuart, Treasurer — December 31, 1963

Bank	Balance 1/1/63	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance 12/31/63
The Northern Trust Company				
GENERAL ACCOUNT	\$119,365.88	\$4,392,577.10	\$4,462,596.43	\$49,346.55
PAYROLL ACCOUNT	70.00	205,000.00	204,970.10	100.00
TOTALS	\$119,435.88	\$4,597,577.10	\$4,667,566.53	\$49,446.45

THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY

Chicago, Illinois

IMPERIAL COUNCIL

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Cash in Bank — January 1, 1963.....		\$ 119,365.88
Add: RECEIPTS BY IMPERIAL RECORDER		
January	\$2,253,796.50	
February	402,926.66	
March	195,252.15	
April	80,620.29	
May	172,612.18	
June	537,526.04	
July	146,612.35	
August	22,742.87	
September	95,771.55	
October	210,645.11	
November	53,624.67	
December	92,961.33	\$4,265,091.70
		\$4,384,457.58
Gain on short-term investments	\$ 118,920.40	
Interest on bonds	8,565.00	127,485.40
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AN RECEIPTS		\$4,511,942.98
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63		
(Checks numbered 525-1211)	\$4,219,148.11	
Short-term investments (Mature 1-64)	243,448.32	\$4,462,596.43
CASH BALANCE IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63.....		\$ 49,346.55

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

R E C A P I T U L A T I O N

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 119,365.88
Receipts by Imperial Recorder	4,265,091.70
Gain of short-term investments	118,920.40
Interest on bonds	8,565.00
	<u>\$4,511,942.98</u>
Total Disbursements (checks 525-1211)	\$4,219,148.11
Short-term investments outstanding	243,448.32
Balance in Bank 12//31/63	49,346.55
	<u>\$4,511,942.98</u>

THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY
Chicago, Illinois
IMPERIAL COUNCIL
PAYROLL ACCOUNT

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 70.00
Add RECEIPTS For Mileage and Per Diem	205,000.00
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS	\$205,070.00
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63 (Checks numbered 63001-63751)	\$204,970.00
CASH BALANCE IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63	<u>\$ 100.00</u>

R E C A P I T U L A T I O N

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 70.00
Receipts	205,000.00
	<u>\$205,070.00</u>
Disbursements	\$204,970.00
Balance in Bank—December 31, 1963	100.00
	<u>\$205,070.00</u>

REPORTS

ANNUAL REPORT OF GEORGE M. SAUNDERS IMPERIAL RECORDER, A.A.O.N.M.S.

January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963

*Imperial Potentate, Officers and Members of the
Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.*

GREETINGS:

IMPERIAL SIR AND REPRESENTATIVES TO THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL:

Your Imperial Recorder respectfully submits the following detailed statements of transactions of the Imperial Recorder's Office for the fiscal period from January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963, both dates inclusive.

Your attention is directed to the report of the Imperial Auditor showing complete information on all receipts in the Central Office and all remittances made to the Imperial Treasurer together with the record of payment of all bills, checks for which are prepared in the Central Office.

The election returns of the 167 subordinate Temples reflect that there were at January 1, 1964, Representatives to the Imperial Council as follows:

Number of Representatives at Large	13
Number of Ad Vitam Members	14
Number of Emeritus Members (not Ad Vitam)	58
Number of Elected Representatives	665
Total Eligible to vote	750

At the end of our last calendar year, the Temples' Annual Reports reflected that we had 834,286 Nobles on the active rolls of membership, of which 153,878 Nobles held Permanent Contributing Membership Certificates which relieved them of paying the Annual Shriners Hospital Assessment.

Our net gain in total Shrine membership for the year 1963 was 6,125 Nobles. The membership details reflected in Annual Temple Reports are printed as a part of this report. It will be noted that 56 Temples report a loss in membership, and one remained the same.

Membership is in all probability the most important subject in each Shrine Temple. The membership reports of all Masonic Bodies for the most part reflects a depression period in Masonic memberships. For a decade of years past there has been reported a loss in Masonic creations over the previous year. The Shrine which depends on Masonry

for possible new members should do everything possible to aid all Masonic groups in membership work in order to help develop more of a market from which to draw Shrine membership.

Illustrious Noble Elliott Young of Mohammed Temple, General Secretary of the Imperial Council Membership Committee, has done everything in his power to inspire and aid Temple membership work. He has worked long hours and set up organized membership programs not alone in Temples but also in Shrine Association Meetings. It is felt that a great deal of good can come from the use of a seminar on membership in the program of every association meeting. New members are the lifeblood of any Temple and Illustrious Noble Young has done a splendid job of keeping Temples alerted to the subject.

Illustrious Potentate Harold C. Close and his lovely wife, Bette, have spent most of their time since the last Imperial Session away from home in official visitations to Temples. From all reports received these wonderful folks have endeared themselves to the hearts of all with whom they have come in contact.

Certainly the Imperial Potentate has given his very best efforts in the work of the Shrine and the Shrine's great charity work. All Temple problems received by him have had immediate attention. He has never neglected to help a Temple in any problem presented. At times this might seem to become a bit of a chore, but he has often neglected his needed rest to work on and reach conclusions without delay.

Imperial Potentate Close has taken as his project for the year the subject of an increase in per capita tax for the Imperial Council. This is a much needed program to supply necessary funds for the public relations program he has developed, the adequate promotion of increased membership and the proper payment of increase in mileage and per diem remuneration to Imperial Council Representatives, as well as funds to insure a four-day business session for the Imperial Council to provide time for greater consideration of important business matters of the Imperial Council.

In their official visitations they have made many lasting friendships that will be cherished throughout their lives.

This administration sees the interim operation of the Burns Institutes of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children in operation at Galveston, Cincinnati and Boston and work on plans for construction under way at each location.

We have supplied many thousands of pamphlets in support of the work of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. We have continued

to supply films to Temples, Clubs and groups without charge and this service has contributed much to the public relations effort. These films show a bit of the work done by Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children together with Shrine Parades and Football Games. New films are added to our film library as they are produced.

The Imperial Officers and Imperial Council Committee Chairman who have been assigned work during the year by the Imperial Potentate have cheerfully carried out their assignments and each of them deserve and merit the sincere thanks of the Imperial Council for their splendid effort.

Our sincere thanks go out to all Temple Recorders and members of their local staffs for the co-operation and consideration received from each of them by the Central Office. Temple Recorders are recognized by the Imperial Potentate as the officers around which circulates the activity of the Shrine Temple and we appreciate the effort thus expended.

I am deeply grateful to all who have contributed so much to the success of our work this past year. To each member of the staff in the General Offices goes my sincere thanks for a great job truly well done. You each have been a much needed link in the chain of a team effort necessary to record success to what has been accomplished and I am proud of every one of you.

Es Selamu Aleikum


Imperial Recorder

MEMBERSHIP REPORT OF TEMPLES TO DECEMBER 31, 1963

	Membership January 1, 1963	Created	Affiliated	Restored	Demitted	Suspended	Deceased	Membership December 31, 1963	Gain or Loss (-)
Aad	3,555	103	3		18	23	75	3,545	10—
Aahmes	9,152	411	65	30	111	162	206	9,179	27
Abba	1,980	109	20	30	16	79	47	1,997	17
Abdallah	2,979	99	19	27	46	33	70	2,975	4—
Abou Ben Adhem	3,379	173	26	17	18	73	73	3,431	52
Abou Saad	1,707	152	6	7	21	17	36	1,798	91
Abu Bekr	3,915	160	14	12	48	34	89	3,930	15
Acca	3,934	297	33	12	44	19	94	4,119	185
Affi	4,374	249	17	65	65	133	96	4,411	37
Ahmed	1,252	60	3	2	6	8	29	1,274	22
Ainad	7,093	479	21	26	65	87	158	7,309	216
Akdar	3,499	100	46	28	62	146	73	3,392	107—
Aladdin	12,474	485	37	298	77	153	258	12,806	332
Al Azhar	2,189	129	11	3	14	16	54	2,248	59
Al Bahr	4,112	143	57	20	49	63	85	4,135	23
Al Bedoo	2,984	117	19	11	43	44	64	2,980	4—
Alcazar	2,557	104	17	20	39	131	65	2,463	94—
Al Chymia	4,591	205	24	50	48	180	86	4,556	35—
Alee	2,799	84	43	38	26	66	71	2,801	2
Aleppo	16,198	783	22	61	93	271	393	16,307	109
Algeria	2,737	146	16	15	21	35	79	2,779	42
Alhambra	1,990	111	22	6	17	49	42	2,021	31
Ali Gahn	1,712	245	14	2	12	4	37	1,920	208
Al Kader	7,792	177	44	30	55	100	218	7,670	122—
Al Kaly	1,984	43	12	9	27	52	51	1,918	66—
Al Koran	12,148	551	42	41	88	131	292	12,271	123
Al Malaikah	28,339	1,279	245	46	274	223	669	28,743	404
Almas	5,010	188	25	6	38	47	133	5,011	1
Al Menah	4,246	303	23	8	33	21	91	4,435	189
Aloha	2,707	155	52	9	37	35	42	2,809	102
Al Sihah	3,503	147	11	16	27	75	69	3,506	3
Alzafar	6,080	242	51	17	70	83	150	6,087	7
Anah	2,772	77	6	2	29	30	45	2,753	19—
Anezeh	634	26	7	1	3	36	21	608	26—
Ansar	5,155	251	13	17	54	57	124	5,201	46
Antioch	7,355	270	50	34	76	59	162	7,412	57
Arab	1,950	68	10	15	26	21	45	1,951	1
Arabia	8,542	295	101	39	92	116	151	8,618	76
Ararat	7,777	290	41	43	106	115	185	7,745	32—
Bagdad	1,580	64	6	5	11	22	38	1,584	4
Bahia	3,429	226	110	1	39	46	69	3,612	183
Ballut Abyad	5,715	155	44	18	62	150	89	5,631	84—
Bedouin	1,976	61	14	18	11	64	45	1,949	27—
Bektash	2,863	149	5	6	25	58	55	2,885	22
Ben Ali	8,982	259	71	6	51	68	192	9,007	25
Ben Hur	2,256	85	24	10	26	89	46	2,214	42—
Beni Kedem	7,534	204	7	21	29	84	205	7,448	86—
Boumi	6,865	394	18	3	64	73	167	6,976	111
Cairo	1,118	31	2		18	8	33	1,092	26—
Calam	1,027	61	3	3	10	13	21	1,050	23
Crescent	11,386	297	29	50	81	157	272	11,252	134—
Cyprus	3,187	83	7	1	18	57	99	3,104	83—
Damascus	3,233	102	9	4	43	51	88	3,166	67—
Egypt	4,722	338	311	13	59	93	102	5,130	408
El Bekal	3,668	148	91	8	38	53	75	3,749	81
Elf Khurfeh	3,715	218	14	27	37	13	95	3,829	114
El Hasa	1,393	85	9	5	10	25	25	1,432	39
El Jebel	8,803	311	87	12	87	112	204	8,810	7
El Kabir	4,050	197	18	2	39	18	90	4,120	70
El Kalah	2,769	79	18		27	18	62	2,759	10—
El Karubah	5,088	139	32	44	61	180	94	4,968	120—
El Katif	4,361	115	19	46	46	92	96	4,307	54—
El Korah	2,763	86	13	12	23	42	64	2,745	18—

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	Membership January 1, 1963	Created	Affiliated	Restored	Demitted	Suspended	Deceased	Membership December 31, 1963	Gain or Loss (-)
El Maida	3,154	102	21	19	32	74	68	3,122	32—
El Mina	2,643	90	7	12	24	47	63	2,618	25—
El Riad	2,602	97	12	10	54	51	62	2,554	48—
El Zagal	2,310	77	21	4	37	14	40	2,321	11
El Zaribah	3,937	182	169	12	38	83	75	4,104	167
Gizeh	2,846	204	10	3	17	29	58	2,959	113
Hadi	3,523	175	22	8	57	19	65	3,587	64
Hamasa	3,200	148	11	59	13	66	59	3,280	80
Hasan	2,523	193	18	4	24	44	47	2,623	100
Hejaz	4,292	231	8	54	26	114	46	4,399	107
Hella	11,283	485	109	48	233	112	209	11,371	88
Hillah	2,818	74	12	18	30	51	60	2,781	37—
India	5,143	251	44	54	57	147	103	5,185	42
Irem	8,640	308	22	40	46	40	241	8,683	43
Isis	3,739	146	11	14	38	88	79	3,705	34—
Islam	9,438	238	76	3	100	81	259	9,315	123—
Ismailia	5,180	146	13	5	84	54	175	5,031	149—
Jaffa	6,644	269	11	21	34	62	172	6,677	33
Jerusalm	5,364	194	27	17	31	62	108	5,401	37
Kaaba	4,652	198	20	13	51	32	130	4,670	18
Kalif	1,598	56	10	2	10	19	31	1,606	8
Kalurah	1,602	101	4	7	25	21	46	1,622	20
Karem	3,191	156	20	52	86	77	68	3,188	3—
Karnak	1,310	64		2	8	10	31	1,327	17
Kazim	3,402	247	38	17	23	36	74	3,571	169
Kem	2,213	124	14	7	22	14	51	2,271	58
Kena	2,012	92	31	1	26	29	38	2,043	31
Kerak	2,709	156	23	7	12	24	62	2,797	88
Kerbela	3,604	328	28	32	25	59	63	3,845	241
Khartum	2,248	152	6	5	17	16	67	2,311	63
Khedive	5,045	214	14	5	44	35	99	5,100	55
Khiva	4,364	197	37	36	86	234	75	4,239	125—
Kismet	5,741	121	7	7	72	77	175	5,552	189—
Kora	4,198	160	9	8	37	28	109	4,201	3
Korein	2,074	120	7	10	24	15	51	2,121	47
Kosair	4,284	129	22	3	48	67	87	4,236	48—
Lulu	8,941	300	45	29	64	111	286	8,854	87—
Luxor	757	39	1	1	6	4	17	771	14
Mahi	7,109	227	87	7	149	70	162	7,049	60—
Maskat	2,381	61	16	8	36	43	66	2,321	60—
Mecca	4,830	190	16	9	33	64	118	4,830	
Media	1,384	31			16	60	31	1,308	76—
Medinah	21,423	887	76	49	194	10	552	21,879	256
Melha	3,532	140	10	4	36	28	70	3,552	20
Midian	8,088	355	21	49	54	157	179	8,123	35
Mirza	2,494	79	9	6	21	52	60	2,455	39—
Mizpah	5,125	195	21	8	54	41	114	5,140	15
Mocha	2,938	170	9	2	7	14	80	3,018	80
Mohammed	7,803	623	29	30	97	78	171	8,139	336
Moila	4,223	155	9	8	34	23	91	4,247	24
Moolah	9,884	637	51	23	72	108	234	10,181	297
Morocco	6,626	382	50	16	27	92	114	6,841	215
Moslah	7,312	456	48	21	91	148	138	7,460	148
Moslem	15,499	485	31	51	97	165	345	15,459	40—
Mount Sinai	1,669	34	1	3	20	15	39	1,633	36—
Murat	15,492	588	63	28	141	129	345	15,556	64
Naja	1,208	41	7	2	15	8	21	1,214	6
Nemesis	1,595	70	4	6	12	14	49	1,600	5
Nile	11,244	289	68	63	119	197	239	11,109	135—
Nur	1,996	63	14	6	9	39	44	1,987	9—
Oasis	7,551	392	43	50	50	92	115	7,779	228
Oleika	2,545	86	8	11	27	55	45	2,523	22—
Omar	3,431	258	18	20	35	95	49	3,548	117

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	Membership January 1, 1963	Created	Affiliated	Restored	Demitted	Suspended	Deceased	Membership December 31, 1963	Gain or Loss (-)
Orak	3,985	158	15	8	48	25	72	4,021	36
Oriental	1,832	94		8	9	25	59	1,841	9
Osiris	3,571	101	12	19	19	6	88	3,590	19
Osman	4,883	189	16	6	56	53	118	4,867	16—
Palestine	2,636	100	12	9	18	32	86	2,621	15—
Philae	871	51	2	2	14	7	9	896	25
Pyramid	2,554	140	8	14	17	23	55	2,621	67
Rajah	6,830	286	10	25	32	92	191	6,836	6
Rameses	4,026	266	5	8	28	14	110	4,153	127
Rizpah	1,673	39	5	15	18	37	36	1,641	32—
Sahara	2,329	126	11	14	12	24	50	2,394	65
Salaam	7,686	252	18	41	72	112	199	7,614	72—
Saladin	5,373	177	23	2	59	54	120	5,342	31—
Semitar	4,025	209	39	21	42	107	88	4,057	32
Sesostris	3,167	243	41	12	28	20	81	3,334	167
Sharon	1,696	250	309		14	4	29	2,208	512
Sphinx	4,311	161	7	4	24	43	89	4,327	16
Sudan	6,783	384	35	30	31	94	136	6,971	188
Suez	2,337	50	27	6	58	51	46	2,265	72—
Syria	26,575	779	47	22	111	109	678	26,525	50—
Syrian	7,379	220	33	13	89	131	180	7,245	134—
Tadmor	5,105	209	14	11	32	47	109	5,151	46
Tangier	4,908	272	49	13	56	48	108	5,030	122
Tebela	4,586	176	21	14	35	47	110	4,605	19
Tehama	2,371	90	6	9	13	12	50	2,401	30
Tehran	2,749	84	25	3	30	19	58	2,754	5
Tigris	1,821	52	5	5	32	38	43	1,770	51—
Tripoli	9,150	376	32	5	89	42	232	9,200	50
Wahabi	4,821	220	21	59	19	137	99	4,866	45
Wa Wa	1,693	98	4	4	22	7	33	1,737	44
Yaarab	7,820	532	102	68	60	220	151	8,091	271
Yelduz	1,582	83	6	7	20	21	33	1,604	22
Za Za Zig	6,875	263	31	14	71	64	155	6,893	18
Zamora	8,933	455	38	155	49	429	184	8,919	14—
Zembo	9,718	325	28	9	46	34	199	9,801	83
Zem Zem	4,840	139	8	14	38	81	91	4,791	49—
Zenobia	4,605	243	16	8	42	33	99	4,698	93
Ziyara	2,336	48	2		24	10	71	2,281	55—
Zor	5,483	220	24	6	56	20	128	5,529	46
Zorah	2,171	71	11	10	30	12	42	2,179	8
Zuhrah	11,827	464	50	18	111	125	231	11,892	65
Totals	<u>828,161</u>	<u>35,346</u>	<u>5,086</u>	<u>3,268</u>	<u>7,690</u>	<u>11,065</u>	<u>18,820</u>	<u>834,286</u>	<u>6,125</u>

**MEMBERSHIP REPORT
DECEMBER 31, 1963**

MEMBERSHIP DECEMBERS 31, 1962	828,161
ADDITIONS	
Creations	35,346
Affiliated	5,086
Restored	<u>3,268</u>
Total Gain	43,700
REDUCTIONS	
Demitted	7,690
Suspended	11,065
Deceased	<u>18,820</u>
Total Loss	<u>37,575</u>
Net Gain for Year	6,125
MEMBERSHIP DECEMBER 31, 1963	<u><u>834,286</u></u>

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Year	Membership January 1	Created	Affiliated	Restored	Demitted	Suspended	Died	Membership December 31	(Loss) Gain
1882		1,081				1		1,081	1,081
1883	1,081	345	39		3	1	1	1,460	379
1884	1,460	881	29		35	107	23	2,205	745
1885	2,205	906	11		33	23	27	3,039	834
1886	3,039	1,646	201		108	18	25	4,735	1,696
1887	4,735	2,695	365		165	29	36	7,565	2,830
1888	7,565	2,881	260		191	72	66	10,377	2,812
1889	10,377	3,500	83		185	53	84	13,638	3,261
1890	13,638	3,571	100		134	76	119	16,980	3,342
1891	16,980	4,563	198		345	83	186	21,127	4,147
1892	21,127	6,554	355		413	231	231	27,161	6,034
1893	27,161	4,887	210		266	257	294	31,441	4,280
1894	31,441	7,218	461		654	707	407	37,352	5,911
1895	37,352	5,367	291		445	666	397	41,502	4,150
1896	41,502	4,727	288		855	977	405	44,280	2,778
1897	44,280	5,239	429		764	1,300	468	47,416	3,136
1898	47,416	4,585	360		528	1,000	552	50,069	2,653
1899	50,069	6,760	641		719	667	629	55,455	5,386
1900	55,455	6,762	1,046		1,099	1,069	673	60,422	4,967
1901	60,422	8,582	646		549	997	773	67,331	6,909
1902	67,331	12,127	1,079		845	732	778	78,182	10,851
1903	78,182	11,164	1,407		1,410	653	963	87,727	9,545
1904	87,727	10,994	1,448		1,287	996	1,088	96,798	9,071
1905	96,798	7,735	672		873	781	764	102,787	5,989
1906	102,787	12,631	1,288		1,066	1,154	1,210	113,276	10,489
1907	113,276	15,311	1,795		1,846	665	1,414	126,457	13,181
1908	126,457	14,552	1,558		1,728	1,071	1,643	138,125	11,668
1909	138,125	14,103	2,333		2,279	1,500	1,625	149,157	11,032
1910	149,157	12,831	1,873		1,285	1,210	1,831	159,535	10,378
1911	159,535	18,404	1,439		3,048	1,578	2,091	172,661	13,126
1912	172,661	16,395	2,521		2,689	1,300	2,095	185,493	12,832
1913	185,493	18,972	2,186		2,555	1,688	2,368	200,040	14,547
1914	200,040	19,003	1,613		2,268	2,263	2,514	213,611	13,571
1915	213,611	17,702	2,901		4,154	3,220	2,841	223,999	10,388
1916	223,999	22,009	2,217		3,913	2,331	2,988	238,993	14,994
1917	238,993	26,578	1,779		2,746	2,647	3,129	258,828	19,835
1918	258,828	36,592	2,141		2,004	2,699	3,891	288,967	30,139
1919	288,967	79,984	4,426		3,675	2,128	3,830	363,744	74,777
1920	363,744	100,168	5,875		6,005	2,951	4,329	456,502	92,758
1921	456,502	60,152	8,327		6,763	2,774	4,628	510,816	54,314
1922	510,816	41,333	4,366		5,176	6,107	5,209	540,023	29,207
1923	540,023	37,463	4,365		3,365	7,758	5,572	565,156	25,133
1924	565,156	36,500	4,920		6,698	10,137	6,593	583,148	17,992
1925	583,148	28,839	5,847		9,330	16,380	6,305	585,819	2,671
1926	585,819	25,325	6,132		6,286	16,945	6,912	587,133	1,314
1927	587,133	21,868	5,449		6,288	19,874	6,952	581,336	(5,797)
1928	581,336	20,006	6,742		6,250	18,189	7,452	576,193	(5,143)
1929	576,193	18,289	6,855		6,203	18,780	7,959	568,395	(7,798)
1930	568,395	12,889	5,919		6,930	21,722	7,932	550,619	(17,776)
1931	550,619	7,139	5,801		9,835	27,777	8,320	517,827	(32,792)
1932	517,827	4,067	5,327		11,200	32,943	8,320	474,758	(43,069)
1933	474,758	3,139	4,960		7,675	45,304	7,869	422,009	(52,749)
1934	422,009	5,050	1,638	6,308	6,074	33,368	7,730	387,833	(34,176)
1935	387,833	5,440	1,819	8,864	4,955	26,824	7,403	364,774	(23,059)
1936	364,774	6,080	1,685	7,956	4,324	16,928	7,548	351,695	(13,079)
1937	351,695	7,258	3,305	7,416	5,703	16,969	7,366	339,636	(12,059)
1938	339,636	5,709	2,038	5,091	4,406	13,366	6,952	327,750	(11,886)
1939	327,750	6,541	1,799	4,471	4,144	12,489	7,259	316,669	(11,081)
1940	316,669	7,307	2,042	4,836	3,894	11,703	7,263	307,994	(8,675)
1941	307,994	9,129	1,867	7,326	3,439	9,318	7,089	306,470	(1,524)
1942	306,470	12,321	1,633	4,486	2,982	7,490	6,847	307,591	1,121
1943	307,591	30,010	2,295	7,500	2,378	4,830	7,243	332,945	25,354
1944	332,945	54,622	3,009	9,083	2,455	3,366	7,664	386,174	53,229
1945	386,174	53,530	3,513	8,266	2,980	2,581	7,961	437,961	51,787
1946	437,961	58,036	4,274	7,026	3,688	3,299	8,751	491,559	53,598
1947	491,559	52,025	4,056	5,647	4,017	3,311	9,297	536,662	45,103

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Year	Membership January 1	Created	Affiliated	Restored	Demitted	Suspended	Died	Membership December 31	(Loss) Gain
1948	536,662	49,409	5,261	4,439	5,517	4,505	9,995	275,954	39,292
1949	575,954	44,902	3,923	3,898	4,249	5,905	10,608	607,915	31,961
1950	607,915	43,156	5,783	3,701	6,176	6,708	11,215	636,456	28,541
1951	636,456	45,014	6,021	3,263	7,546	7,501	12,011	663,696	27,240
1952	663,696	43,726	4,737	3,098	6,023	7,559	11,997	689,678	25,982
1953	689,678	48,019	3,811	3,021	4,994	8,421	12,814	718,300	28,622
1954	718,300	42,058	5,268	2,705	6,711	8,406	13,174	740,040	21,740
1955	740,040	41,569	3,980	3,030	5,449	8,401	13,594	761,175	21,135
1956	761,175	41,866	4,073	2,743	5,825	8,550	14,633	780,849	19,674
1957	780,849	43,692	4,129	2,579	6,524	8,938	15,455	800,332	19,483
1958	800,332	32,965	4,299	2,582	6,886	9,682	15,660	807,950	7,618
1959	807,950	35,272	4,450	2,457	6,727	11,207	16,104	816,091	8,141
1960	816,091	33,065	4,200	3,441	6,869	11,193	17,235	821,473	5,382
1961	821,473	32,421	4,479	2,959	7,151	11,382	17,195	825,604	4,131
1962	825,604	32,745	6,096	2,940	8,791	12,337	18,096	821,161	2,557
1963	828,161	35,346	5,086	3,268	7,690	11,065	18,820	834,286	6,125
Totals		1,825,295	232,143	144,400	303,333	592,502	471,790		834,286

*No restorations reported prior to 1933.

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THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ANCIENT

ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF

THE MYSTIC SHRINE

DEAR SIRs:

We have examined the balance sheet of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, an Iowa Corporation, as of December 31, 1963, and the related statements of income and expense and surplus for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. All checks issued by the Imperial Treasurer were examined.

In our opinion, the accompanying balance sheet and statements of income and expense and surplus present fairly the financial position of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine at December 31, 1963, and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. UPLEGER AND COMPANY
Certified Public Accountants

GENERAL COMMENTS ON THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

The Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America is a non-stock, non-profit corporation organized in 1936 under the laws of the state of Iowa. The corporate purpose is to govern "the system of fraternal lodges or temples known in the aggregate as the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. . . ." The Imperial Council also collects certain assessments and contributions for the "Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children" from members and other and disburses them to the "Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children," which is a Colorado Corporation.

A summary of the membership of nobles in the temples governed by the Imperial Council is presented below.

	<u>1963</u>	<u>1962</u>	<u>1961</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1959</u>
Membership at					
Beginning of Year	828,161	825,604	821,473	816,091	807,950
<i>Additions:</i>					
Nobles Created	35,346	32,745	32,421	33,065	35,272
Nobles Affiliated	5,086	6,096	4,479	4,200	4,450
Nobles Restored	3,268	2,940	2,959	3,441	2,457
	<u>871,861</u>	<u>867,385</u>	<u>861,332</u>	<u>856,797</u>	<u>850,129</u>
<i>Reductions:</i>					
Nobles Demitted	7,690	8,791	7,151	6,896	6,727
Nobles Suspended	11,065	12,337	11,382	11,193	11,207
Nobles Deceased	18,820	18,096	17,195	17,235	16,104
	<u>37,575</u>	<u>39,224</u>	<u>35,728</u>	<u>35,324</u>	<u>34,038</u>
Membership at					
End of Year	<u>834,286</u>	<u>828,161</u>	<u>825,604</u>	<u>821,473</u>	<u>816,091</u>
Net Gain	<u>6,125</u>	<u>2,557</u>	<u>4,131</u>	<u>5,382</u>	<u>8,141</u>

The Imperial Council owns the building, located at 323 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, which is the National Headquarters for the Imperial Council and for the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. The property was purchased in 1959 for a cost of \$481,441.25, of which \$205,000.00 was allocated to the land and \$276,441.25 to the building. Since the building was purchased \$301,873.52 has been expended for remodeling and renovation, bringing total building cost to \$578,314.77.

The Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children pays rent amounting to \$50,000.00 annually and bears two-thirds of the operating expenses of the building, including utilities, cleaning and minor building repairs.

Depreciation is calculated at the rate of 4% annually on the cost of the remodeled building. A separate fund was established to receive an amount equal to the current building depreciation, less the cost of major building repairs.

Interest income was substantially increased by arranging for purchase of treasury bills throughout the year, thereby utilizing funds not immediately required for operations.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL, A.A.O.N.M.S.
EXHIBIT "A"
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1963 AND DECEMBER 31, 1962

ASSETS

	December 31,		Increase (Decrease)
	1963	1962	
Current Assets:			
Cash in Bank, General Funds	\$ 20,851.62	\$ 28,474.49	(\$ 7,622.87)
Cash in Bank, Imperial Session Fund ..	-0-	82,816.10	(82,816.10)
Cash in Bank, Imperial Recorder	2,601.64	2,371.45	230.19
Cash in Bank, Fund for Depreciation (Note 1)	28,474.93	8,075.29	20,399.64
Imprest Cash Fund, Shrine Rooms	20.00	20.00	-0-
U. S. Treasury Bills-At Cost	135,877.68	74,463.75	61,413.93
U. S. Treasury Bills-At Cost-Fund for Depreciation (Note 1)	24,142.04	24,296.92	(154.88)
U. S. Treasury Bills-At Cost-Imperial Session Fund	83,428.60	-0-	83,428.60
Accounts Receivable, Subordinate Temples	513,127.50	509,961.39	3,166.11
Accounts Receivable, S.H.C.C.	47,172.25	27,869.01	19,303.24
Accounts Receivable, Other	479.50	2,073.59	(1,594.09)
Accrued Interest Receivable on Treasury Bonds	8,565.00	-0-	8,565.00
Inventory of Books	2,227.20	2,710.60	(483.40)
Prepaid Insurance	4,804.52	6,264.05	(1,459.53)
	<u>\$ 871,772.48</u>	<u>\$ 769,396.64</u>	<u>\$102,375.84</u>
Investments:			
U. S. Government Bonds-At Cost (Market Value December 31, 1963— \$583,224.40)	\$ 661,000.00	\$ 661,000.00	-0-
Fixed Assets:			
Land	\$ 205,000.00	\$ 205,000.00	-0-
Building	578,314.77	560,884.04	17,430.73
Furniture and Office Equipment	45,374.32	41,176.23	4,198.09
	<u>\$ 828,689.09</u>	<u>\$ 807,060.27</u>	<u>\$ 21,628.82</u>
Less: Allowance for Depreciation	80,608.49	55,335.63	25,272.86
	<u>\$ 748,080.60</u>	<u>\$ 751,724.64</u>	<u>(\$ 3,644.04)</u>
Other Assets:			
Imperial Officers' Jewels	\$ 17,030.00	\$ 18,270.00	(\$ 1,240.00)
Imperial Potentate's Flags	1,018.10	1,018.10	-0-
Printing Plates "Parade to Glory"	2,012.39	2,012.39	-0-
	<u>\$ 20,060.49</u>	<u>\$ 21,300.49</u>	<u>(\$ 1,240.00)</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$2,300,913.57</u>	<u>\$2,203,421.77</u>	<u>\$ 97,491.80</u>

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS

Current Liabilities:

Accounts Payable-Operations	\$ 24,174.78	\$ 8,344.50	\$ 15,830.28
Accounts Payable-S.H.C.C. (Voluntary and Permanent Memberships)	71,451.13	82,867.93	(11,416.80)
Accounts Payable-S.H.C.C. (Employees Retirement)	75,432.39	-0-	75,432.39
	<u>\$ 171,058.30</u>	<u>\$ 91,212.43</u>	<u>\$ 79,845.87</u>

Deferred Income:

Prepaid Hospital Assessments and Per Capita Tax	-0-	\$ 4,926.94	(\$ 4,926.94)
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Reserves:

Reserves for Imperial Council Sessions Fund	\$ 83,428.60	\$ 82,816.10	\$ 612.50
Reserves for National Headquarters Building Fund	-0-	16,034.09	(16,034.09)
	<u>\$ 83,428.60</u>	<u>\$ 98,850.19</u>	<u>(\$ 15,421.59)</u>

Surplus:

General Funds	\$2,046,426.67	\$2,008,432.21	\$ 37,994.46
Total Liabilities, Reserves and Surplus	<u>\$2,300,913.57</u>	<u>\$2,203,421.77</u>	<u>\$ 97,491.80</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- (1) The Board of Directors of the Imperial Council authorized the establishment of a fund, comprised of cash and short term investments, equal to the depreciation charge on the National Headquarters Building. Expenditures for major repairs of the building are to be made from this fund.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPERIAL AUDITOR

The above statement is a correct presentation of the balance sheet of The Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S. as at December 31, 1963, and in my opinion, fairly presents the financial condition of The Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S. as at December 31, 1963 in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, which I deem proper and adequate applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year, which, in my opinion, fairly presents the proper and true values.

Respectfully submitted,
A. C. UPLEGER
Imperial Auditor

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

EXHIBIT "B"
STATEMENT OF SURPLUS, GENERAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963 AND DECEMBER 31, 1962

	December 31,	
	1963	1962
Balance at Beginning of the Year	\$2,008,432.21	\$1,891,871.66
Add:		
Excess of Income Over Expense for the Year	28,440.24	108,828.31
Real Estate Taxes Charged to Prior Periods, Tax Exemption Obtained in 1962	-0-	7,732.24
Refund of Real Estate Taxes Paid in 1961, Refunded in 1963	9,554.22	-0-
Balance at End of the Year	<u>\$2,046,426.67</u>	<u>\$2,008,432.21</u>

EXHIBIT "C"
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963 AND DECEMBER 31, 1962

	For the Year Ended December 31,		Increase (Decrease)
	1963	1962	
Income:			
Initiation Fees	\$ 88,365.00	\$ 81,862.50	\$ 6,502.50
Annual Per Capita Dues	417,143.00	414,080.50	3,062.50
Duplicate Diplomas	283.00	216.00	67.00
Rituals	250.00	260.00	(10.00)
Charters and Dispensations	50.00	100.00	(50.00)
Interest on Investments	37,289.73	19,234.41	18,055.32
Collection and Exchange	-0-	5,425.83	(5,425.83)
Rental Income-National Headquarters (S.H.C.C.)	50,000.00	50,000.00	-0-
Proration Credits-Building Operation (S.H.C.C.)	25,070.59	23,845.14	1,225.45
Merchandise Sales	13.51	2.30	11.21
Profit on Sale of Books	69.40	182.80	(113.40)
Miscellaneous	18,038.02	-0-	18,038.02
Total Income	<u>\$636,572.25</u>	<u>\$595,209.48</u>	<u>\$ 41,362.77</u>
Expenses:			
Imperial Potentate's Contingent Fund	32,500.00	20,000.00	12,500.00
Imperial Potentate's Secretarial Allowance	-0-	5,000.00	(5,000.00)
Imperial Treasurer's Salary	5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-
Imperial Treasurer's Secretarial Allowance	3,500.00	3,500.00	-0-
Imperial Recorder's Salary	9,000.00	9,000.00	-0-
Assistant Imperial Recorder's Salary	4,800.00	4,800.00	-0-
Imperial Recorder's Office Salaries	22,437.01	10,293.01	12,144.00
Legal Fees and Expense-General Counsel	6,000.00	9,035.76	(3,035.76)
Auditing	2,000.00	3,240.00	(1,240.00)
Stationery and Supplies	2,698.98	2,017.20	681.78
Printing	23,439.00	22,516.66	922.34
Postage	1,122.39	1,805.82	(683.43)
Freight and Express	1,487.91	634.98	852.93
Telephone and Telegraph	4,655.30	4,847.45	(192.15)
Office Equipment Maintenance	2,899.58	2,442.81	456.77
Collection and Exchange	-0-	24.04	(24.04)
Travel Expense-Imperial Recorder and Imperial Potentate's Emissaries	7,356.51	8,953.06	(1,596.55)

EXHIBIT "C" (Continued)
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963 AND DECEMBER 31, 1962

	For the Year Ended December 31.		Increase (Decrease)
	1963	1962	
Expenses: (Continued):			
Surety Bonds and Insurance	3,686.17	2,835.65	850.52
Employees Hospitalization Insurance	694.20	390.47	303.73
Employees Social Security Tax	1,929.51	1,255.18	674.33
Employees Retirement	77,476.14 ¹		77,476.14
General Expense—Miscellaneous	3,824.19	1,743.47	2,080.72
Electricity, Water and Heat	15,574.93	13,117.98	2,456.95
Building Maintenance, Cleaning	10,216.59	8,291.17	1,925.42
Building Maintenance, Other	10,252.94	13,473.72	(3,220.78)
Building Insurance	1,205.46	1,038.36	167.10
Depreciation on Building	23,004.14	21,158.03	1,846.11
Miscellaneous Building Expense	1,926.45	884.77	1,041.68
Imperial Divan and Board of Directors Meetings	11,501.04	8,276.36	3,224.68
Reporting Board of Directors Meetings	2,437.45	1,148.11	1,289.34
Imperial Council Session Committee	835.02	866.83	(31.81)
Jurisprudence and Laws Committee	8,505.08	6,104.07	2,401.01
Jurisdictional Lines Committee	894.61	566.33	328.28
Membership Committee	13,159.62	4,447.57	8,712.05
Special Committees	7,233.13	4,606.43	2,626.70
Public Relations	42,055.67	28,269.90	13,785.77
Donations to Masonic Service Associations...	-0-	5,000.00	(5,000.00)
Donation to Order of the DeMolay	5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-
Donation to Guam Shrine Club	2,500.00	-0-	2,500.00
Shrine Rooms Maintenance	7,100.52	7,591.26	(490.74)
Shrine Room Renovations	14,360.00	-0-	14,360.00
Shrine Rooms Building Repair	5,571.11	-0-	5,571.11
Flowers	30.60	194.10	(163.50)
Jewels of Imperial Officers—Repairs and Issues	1,510.00	2,232.50	(722.50)
Past Imperial Potentate's Flags	335.86	546.70	(210.84)
	<u>\$401,717.11</u>	<u>\$252,149.75</u>	<u>\$149,567.36</u>

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963 AND DECEMBER 31, 1962

	<i>For the Year Ended December 31,</i>		<i>Increase (Decrease)</i>
	<i>1963</i>	<i>1962</i>	
Imperial Council Session Expenses:			
Mileage and Per Diem	200,955.60	230,531.80	(29,576.20)
Badges	1,326.32	1,368.95	(42.63)
Headquarters	3,085.24	1,125.27	1,959.97
Reporting Annual Session	705.19	1,148.11	(442.92)
Miscellaneous	342.55	57.29	285.26
	<u>206,414.90</u>	<u>234,231.42</u>	<u>(27,816.52)</u>
Total Expenses	<u>\$608,132.01</u>	<u>\$486,381.17</u>	<u>\$121,750.84</u>
Excess of Income Over Expense	<u>\$ 28,440.24</u>	<u>\$108,828.31</u>	<u>(\$ 80,388.07)</u>

¹ Of this amount only \$10,556.38 is for 1963, the difference of \$66,919.76 is applicable to prior years.

SCHEDULE 1
STATEMENT OF BUDGETED AND ACTUAL INCOME AND EXPENSE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Over or (Under) Budget</u>
Income:			
Annual Dues	\$415,000.00	\$417,143.00	\$ 2,143.00
Initiation Fees	81,259.00	88,365.00	7,106.00
Interest on Bonds	35,173.95	37,289.73	2,115.78
Miscellaneous Income	16,683.75	18,703.93	2,020.18
Colorado Corporation—Contribution to National Headquarters:			
Operation and Maintenance	26,326.65	25,070.59	(1,256.06)
Occupation	50,000.00	50,000.00	-0-
Total Income	<u>\$624,443.35</u>	<u>\$636,572.25</u>	<u>\$12,128.90</u>
Expenses:			
Section 1—Administrative and General:			
Operating Expense:			
1. Imperial Potentate's Contingent Fund.....	32,500.00	32,500.00	-0-
2. Imperial Treasurer's Salary	5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-
3. Imperial Treasurer's Office and Secretarial Allowance	3,500.00	3,500.00	-0-
4. Imperial Recorder's Salary	9,000.00	9,000.00	-0-
5. Assistant Imperial Recorder's Salary.....	4,800.00	4,800.00	-0-
6. Imperial Recorder's Office Salaries.....	18,000.00	22,437.01	4,437.01
7. General Counsel's Fee	6,000.00	6,000.00	-0-
8. Auditing	2,500.00	2,000.00	(500.00)
9. Stationery, Supplies and Printing.....	32,000.00	26,137.98	(5,862.02)
10. Communications	7,600.00	7,265.60	(334.40)
11. Travel Expense—Imperial Recorder and Special Emissaries of Imperial Potentate..	10,000.00	7,356.51	(2,643.49)
12. Surety Bonds and Insurance	3,600.00	3,686.17	86.17
13. Employees Social Security Tax	1,700.00	1,929.51	229.51
Employees Retirement	77,384.74	77,476.14	91.40
14. Other General Expense:			
Office Equipment, Maintenance and Miscellaneous	6,900.00	7,417.97	517.97
15. Building Expense:			
Maintenance	39,100.00	37,970.91	(1,129.09)
Insurance	1,200.00	1,205.46	5.46
Depreciation	23,500.00	23,004.14	(495.86)
16. Imperial Divan and Board of Directors Meetings and Reporting	21,000.00	13,938.49	(7,061.51)

SCHEDULE 1 (Continued)
STATEMENT OF BUDGETED AND ACTUAL INCOME AND EXPENSE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Over or (Under) Budget</i>
Expenses (Continued):			
Section 1—Administrative and General:			
Operating Expense:			
17. Committee Expense:			
Imperial Session	500.00	835.02	335.02
Jurisprudence and Laws	8,300.00	8,505.08	205.08
Jurisdictional Lines	1,500.00	894.61	(605.39)
Membership	16,500.00	13,159.62	(3,340.38)
Special Committees	7,500.00	7,233.13	(266.87)
Total Section 1	<u>\$339,584.74</u>	<u>\$323,253.35</u>	<u>(\$16,331.39)</u>
Section 2—Other Operating Expense:			
18. Public Relations	52,000.00	42,055.67	(9,944.33)
19. Donations to Order of DeMolay	5,000.00	5,000.00	-0-
20. Donations to Guam Shrine Club	2,500.00	2,500.00	-0-
21. Shrine Rooms:			
Maintenance	7,600.00	7,100.52	(499.48)
Shrine Rooms Parade and Study	22,500.00	19,931.11	(2,568.89)
22. Flowers	200.00	30.60	(169.40)
23. Jewels—Imperial Officers—Repairs and Issues	1,465.00	1,510.00	45.00
24. Past Imperial Potentate's Flags	132.24	335.86	203.62
Total Section 2	<u>\$ 91,397.24</u>	<u>\$ 78,463.76</u>	<u>(\$12,933.48)</u>
Section 3—Annual Sessions Expense:			
25. Mileage and Per Diem	205,000.00	200,955.60	(4,044.40)
26. Badges	1,326.32	1,326.32	-0-
27. Headquarters	2,500.00	3,085.24	585.24
28. Reporting Annual Session	650.00	705.19	55.19
29. Miscellaneous	500.00	342.55	(157.45)
Total Section 3	<u>\$209,976.32</u>	<u>\$206,414.90</u>	<u>(\$ 3,561.42)</u>
Total Expenses	<u>\$640,958.30</u>	<u>\$608,132.01</u>	<u>(\$32,826.29)</u>
Excess of Income Over Expenses	<u>(\$16,514.95)</u>	<u>\$ 28,440.24</u>	<u>(\$44,955.19)</u>

SCHEDULE 2
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE—SUBORDINATE TEMPLES
(EXCLUDES HOSPITAL ASSESSMENTS)

DECEMBER 31, 1963

Aad	2,127.00	Bektash	1,732.00
Aahmes	5,737.40	Ben Ali	5,404.20
Abba	1,208.20	Ben Hur	1,335.90
Abdallah	1,852.50	Beni Kedem	4,468.80
Abou Ben Adhem	2,288.60	Boumi	4,640.60
Abou Saad	1,078.80	Cairo	657.70
Abu Bekr	2,393.00	Calam	630.00
Acca	2,534.90	Crescent	6,751.20
Affi	2,771.60	Cyprus	1,972.40
Ahmed	764.40	Damascus	1,977.10
Ainad	4,392.90	Egypt	3,258.00
Akdar	2,067.70	El Bekal	2,414.40
Aladdin	7,708.60	Elf Khurafeh	2,302.40
Al Azhar	1,348.80	El Hasa	876.70
Al Bahr	2,598.50	El Jebel	5,573.50
Al Bedoo	1,788.00	El Kahir	2,674.50
Alcazar	1,477.80	El Kalah	1,655.40
Al Chymia	2,759.60	El Karubah	2,980.80
Alee	1,788.10	El Katif	2,584.20
Aleppo	10,891.70	El Korah	1,755.50
Algeria	1,667.40	El Maida	1,873.20
Alhambra	1,212.60	El Mina	1,576.80
Ali Ghan	1,147.00	El Raid	1,622.40
Al Kader	4,872.00	El Zagal	1,393.60
Al Kaly	1,158.30	El Zaribah	2,462.40
Al Koran	7,372.60	Gizeh	1,775.40
Al Malaikah	17,478.30	Hadi	2,152.20
Almas	3,239.10	Hamasa	1,974.00
Al Menah	3,021.00	Hasan	1,573.80
Aloha	1,687.90	Hejaz	2,639.40
Al Sihah	2,258.60	Hella	6,866.10
Alzafar	3,684.70	Hillah	1,711.10
Anah	1,651.80	India	3,127.00
Anezeh	369.80	Irem	5,394.80
Ansār	3,389.10	Iris	2,224.00
Antioch	4,749.70	Islam	5,841.50
Arab	1,228.10	Ismailia	3,018.60
Arabia	5,375.80	Jaffa	4,213.70
Ararat	4,654.50	Jerusalem	3,295.60
Bagdad	950.40	Kaaba	3,045.50
Bahia	2,167.20	Kalif	963.60
Ballut Abyad	3,378.60	Kalurah	983.20
Bedouin	1,186.90	Karem	1,932.80

SCHEDULE 2 (Continued)
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE—SUBORDINATE TEMPLES
(EXCLUDES HOSPITAL ASSESSMENTS)

DECEMBER 31, 1963

Karnak	798.20	Osiris	2,251.50
Kazim	2,210.10	Osman	2,922.70
Kem	1,363.60	Palestine	1,572.60
Kena	1,235.80	Philae	557.60
Kerak	1,678.20	Pyramid	1,730.10
Kerbela	2,492.00	Rajah	4,369.10
Khartum	1,386.60	Rameses	2,491.80
Khedive	3,060.00	Rizpah	984.60
Khiva	2,550.90	Sahara	1,441.40
Kismet	3,331.20	Salaam	4,790.90
Kora	2,520.60	Saladin	3,262.70
Korien	1,272.60	Scimitar	2,486.70
Kosair	2,541.60	Sesostris	2,017.90
Lu Lu	5,534.90	Sharon	1,437.30
Luxor	462.60	Sphinx	2,753.70
Mahi	4,229.40	Sudan	4,184.60
Maskat	1,392.60	Suez	1,366.50
Mecca	3,065.50	Syria	15,915.00
Media	792.70	Syrian	4,347.00
Medinah	13,007.40	Tadmor	3,398.10
Melha	2,301.20	Tangier	3,333.00
Midian	4,876.30	Tebala	2,765.50
Mirza	1,503.00	Tehama	1,440.60
Mizpah	3,084.00	Tehran	1,667.40
Mocha	1,810.80	Tigris	1,074.50
Mohammed	4,895.90	Tripoli	5,520.00
Moila	2,548.20	Wahabi	3,115.60
Moolah	6,123.60	Wa-Wa	1,042.20
Morocco	4,119.60	Yaarab	5,383.10
Moslah	4,493.50	Yelduz	962.40
Moslem	9,275.40	Za-Ga-Zig	4,458.30
Mount Sinai	979.80	Zamora	5,693.90
Murat	10,003.60	Zembo	6,248.10
Naja	730.90	Zem Zem	2,874.60
Nemesis	960.00	Zenobia	2,824.80
Nile	6,667.40	Ziyara	1,368.60
Nur	1,192.20	Zor	3,509.90
Oasis	4,667.40	Zorah	1,307.40
Oleika	1,514.80	Zuhrah	7,135.20
Omar	2,128.80	Total	<u>513,127.50</u>
Orak	2,412.60		
Oriental	1,119.60		

SCHEDULE 3
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE—OPERATIONS
DECEMBER 31, 1963

Accounts Charged:

Subordinate Temples—Accounts Receivable	\$ 345.10
S.H.C.C.—Account Receivable	7,267.20
Stationery and Supplies	75.54
Printing	657.59
Telephone and Telegraph	396.33
Travel Expense—Imperial Recorder and Potentate's Emissaries	523.79
Employees Social Security Tax	443.58
Electricity	476.72
Water	8.41
Heat	463.33
General Expense—Miscellaneous	232.39
Building Maintenance—Cleaning	808.75
Building Maintenance—Other	37.80
Shrine Rooms Renovations	5,571.11
Miscellaneous Building Expense	79.65
Membership Committee	743.00
Special Committees	73.72
Public Relations	5,848.99
Flowers	15.00
Headquarters	106.78
Total	<u>\$24,174.78</u>

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VISITATION OF IMPERIAL POTENTATE

Reception Committee at airport or railroad station:—

A Reception Committee appointed by the Potentate should be present at the airport or railroad station to greet the Imperial Potentate upon his arrival. Appropriate and ready transportation should be available to transport him and his party to the hotel. Arrangements for handling of baggage should be pre-arranged so as to insure delivery of same to Imperial Potentate when he reaches hotel.

Hotel quarters:—

It is suggested that a suite of rooms be assigned for the use of the Imperial Potentate. Certain rooms of same should be kept strictly private for the Imperial Potentate as his personal quarters. Such quarters should be separate and removed from a general parlor or reception room for visitors. The Potentate should assign to the Imperial Potentate, an Aide, who should be in constant attendance and at his disposal during the entire time of his visitation. The arduous duties of the Imperial Potentate are many, and he is apt to be travel-weary. It is suggested that the Potentate arrange personally for the Imperial Potentate's comfort. The Potentate upon arrival at the hotel should immediately acquaint the Imperial Potentate, in writing, with the program of events planned and permit him to express his wishes as to his personal participation. Any program planned should give the Imperial Potentate ample time for whatever privacy he desires. A proffer of stenographic and clerical aid would prove helpful. Long automobile rides should be eliminated in any program of events unless previously planned and approved by the Imperial Potentate. Should the Imperial Potentate's lady accompany him on a visitation, the Potentate should make such arrangements for her comfort and entertainment as deemed necessary.

(Note: When an Imperial Officer is assigned by the Imperial Potentate as his official representative at a meeting and another Imperial Officer of higher rank is also in attendance at the same meeting, the Imperial Potentate's representative is permitted to speak any appropriate remarks he cares to make. Banquet seating, parade order, etc., will follow usual protocol pattern.)

PARADES

Colors:—

Singly, or massed Colors should precede the first uniformed marching unit.

(Since our organization has Temples under three National Flags, these three National Flags should head the Color Squad. The National Flag of the Unit itself takes the honor spot at the right and the other two National Flags are to the left.)

TEMPLE PARADES

Order of Automobiles:—

Following the designated Parade Marshal and his Aides, the following order of automobiles is to be observed:

1. Imperial Potentate, or other ranking Imperial Officer present. The Imperial Potentate will ride alone—or may invite any distinguished male guest who may be in attendance at the function, to be a guest passenger. **ONLY THE IMPERIAL POTENTATE WILL RIDE ON THE BACK OF THE SEAT OF HIS CAR; ALL OTHERS MUST REMAIN ON THE SEATS OF THEIR CARS.**
 2. Imperial Officers other than the Imperial Potentate (by rank). (One officer to a car—no guests.)
 3. Past Imperial Potentates (by seniority in rank).
 4. Host Temple Potentate and his Divan.
 5. Distinguished Guests other than those in groups 1, 2, 3, or 4.
 6. Visiting Potentates, Divans, and Past Potentates.
- Women, girls, school bands and school drill corps or marching units of any organization not identified with the Shrine are not permitted in Shrine Parades.

IMPERIAL SESSION PARADES

Order of Parade Formation (Day Parade):—

1. Police escort.
 2. Parade Marshal and his aides.
 3. Colors singly or massed
 4. Director General.
 5. Uniformed Units of Host Temple.
(Uniformed Units of other Temples in the State or Shrine Association will take their place elsewhere in the parade formation according to charter date only.)
 6. Automobiles of Imperial Officers.
 7. Uniformed Units of Imperial Potentate's Temple.
 8. Uniformed Units of all Temples, except Host Temple, will form in order of charter date—oldest date first.
- Night Parade will follow the same formation except that the Uniformed Units of the Temple of the Imperial Potentate-Elect will immediately follow (7) Uniformed Units of the Imperial Potentate's Temple.

RECEPTIONS

Ceremonial or Reception:—

The Potentate should provide suitable transportation from the hotel to the place of the meeting. Upon arrival at the Mosque or building wherein the Ceremonial or Reception is to be held, quarters should be provided for the Imperial Potentate. These quarters if possible should be separate from the general Reception area where it is quiet and away from undue disturbances that the Imperial Potentate may enjoy privacy for discussions, interviews, etc. An aide designated by the Potentate should be constantly at hand. In the event other Imperial Officers or Past Imperial Potentates are present, a similar room should be set aside for their use.

Reception for Ladies:—

At receptions or other functions where only Ladies are

present, the Ladies of Imperial Officers follow the same order of precedence as for Imperial Officers.

Reception Receiving Line:—

At receptions or functions where a Receiving Line is used, the Imperial Potentate is the last one in the order of reception, with others stationed as indicated below. When Ladies are present they should stand with their escorts.

Introduction and Reception of Guests:—

The Imperial Potentate should be made as comfortable as possible and not subjected to a long standing wait for his turn to be received and introduced. The order of reception should be as follows:

1. Visiting Potentates, Past Potentates and Divans.
2. Visiting Dignitaries and celebrities (other than the Most Worshipful Grand Master).
3. Past Imperial Potentates (in reverse order of their seniority rank).
4. Imperial Officers (presented individually in reverse order of their official station). The Nobility will stand after 3 raps of the gavel, on the presentation of the Imperial Officer of highest rank in attendance.
5. Imperial Potentate.

The first order of business shall be the reception of the Grand Master of Masons of the State or Province. In the absence of the Imperial Potentate, the Grand Master shall be received by the ranking Imperial Officer present; if none be present, he will be received by the Potentate of the Host Temple.

Introduction of Imperial Potentate:—

When uniformed bodies are used in receiving the Imperial Potentate, Imperial Officers and Past Imperial Potentates and Potentates, the unit used to form the Honor aisle should, at the command of the Officer in charge, Salaam. (Military salute prohibited.)

The escort appointed by the Potentate to introduce the Imperial Potentate walks at the left of the Imperial Potentate, and upon reaching the point on the floor from where the introduction is to be made, should Salaam the Potentate and make such remarks as he deems proper, and conclude with the following:

“Illustrious Potentate, I have the honor of presenting the Imperial Potentate of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America, Imperial

Sir.....of.....Temple,(City),.....
(State or Province).”

or

“Illustrious Potentate, I have the honor of presenting Imperial Sir.....of.....Temple, of.....(City),.....
(State or Province), the Imperial Potentate of the Shrine for North America.”

Potentate: "You will conduct the Imperial Potentate to the East."

The Potentate concludes his remarks of welcome to the Imperial Potentate with the following:

"Nobles, I have the honor of introducing Imperial Sir., Imperial Potentate."

The Gavel should be presented to the Imperial Potentate who, upon receiving same, returns Gavel to the Potentate.

The only address should be made by the Imperial Potentate.

There should be no other talks unless approved by the Imperial Potentate.

Ceremonial or program then proceeds as arranged.

Seating at Banquet:—

The Potentate should personally escort the Imperial Potentate to the Banquet table. The Imperial Potentate should be seated at the immediate right of the Potentate. When Ladies are present at banquets the Imperial Potentate should be seated at the right of the Potentate; the Imperial Potentate's Lady at the left of the Potentate; the Potentate's Lady at the right of the Imperial Potentate; with the other Imperial Officers, Past Imperial Potentates and their Ladies seated alternately at the right and left of the central group. The Imperial Potentate at his discretion may invite others to sit at the table. In the event no other Imperial Officer is present, the Officers of the local Divan should be seated according to seniority. Place Cards should be provided to expedite seating.

Seating at Ceremonials and Receptions:—

The Imperial Potentate should be seated at the immediate right of the Potentate; Chief Rabban at the left of the Potentate; the Assistant Rabban at the right of the Imperial Potentate; the High Priest and Prophet at the left of the Chief Rabban; and the other Officers of the Divan seated alternately at the right and left of the central group. When other Imperial Officers or Past Imperial Potentates are present they should be seated beginning at the immediate left of the Potentate according to rank in the Imperial Divan, to be followed by the Past Imperial Potentates, alternately at the right and left of the central group. When all of the Officers of the Imperial Divan are present, the Imperial Officers should occupy seats in front of the Temple Divan, seated alternately at the right and left of the Potentate of the local Temple.

Seating on Reviewing Stands:—

In instances requiring a Reviewing Stand same should be reserved for the exclusive use of the Imperial Potentate, Imperial Officers and Past Imperial Potentates and such other guests as invited by the Imperial Potentate.

The Imperial Potentate receives the Salute of all Temples.

When Temples from an Imperial Officer's state or province pass in review, he receives the Salute of these Temples with the Imperial Potentate.

PROTOCOL FOR SHRINE ASSOCIATIONS

Since the Imperial Council is the parent organization over all Temples and Shrine Associations there is only one protocol procedure that can be followed by a Shrine Association and that is the protocol procedure as adopted by the Imperial Council and will be found on pages 6 to 13 inclusive of the 1964 Directory of the Imperial Council.

Officers of Shrine Associations will participate in protocol procedure throughout this entire protocol in the position as outlined for distinguished guests and, in accordance with Imperial Council protocol, the Officers of the Imperial Council will take precedence over the Officers of Shrine Associations at all times. At any meeting of a Shrine Association at which there is not in attendance any of the Imperial Officers, then and in that event the Officers of the Shrine Association will take their place and position as distinguished guests in accordance with Imperial Council Protocol.

In accordance with the above, Shrine Association Officers will occupy position No. 5 in "Order of Automobiles," and position No. 2 in "Introduction and Reception of Guests."

DRESS

The Fez:—

The Imperial Council has adopted the Fez as the exclusive type of head covering to be worn by all Nobles of the Mystic Shrine when appearing as such.

It is a Red Turkish Fez with Black Tassel, bearing only the name of the Temple of which the Noble is an active member, with a facsimile of a scimitar, and that portion of the Jewel of the Order consisting of the crescent, sphinx head, and star combined, embroidered thereon with gold and silver bullion or silk. The Fez is to be worn in its proper shape and without creasing or alteration. It is permissible for Potentates, Past Potentates, Recorders and Divan members, as well as official uniformed organizations, to have their titles embroidered in small letters in gold or silver bullion or silk or jewels on the front of the Fez beneath the emblem.

It is permissible to adorn the name of the Temple and the emblem with rhinestone jewels of a size no larger than that known as #12 by the fez makers. It is permissible to use one pin to hold the tassel in place, said pin to be either plain or jeweled.

The use of any other wording or devices than those mentioned above is prohibited.

The Imperial Potentate wears the regulation Fez with five gold stars on the front near the bottom. Past Imperial Potentates wear five stars on the front of their Fez near the bottom, the outside stars being of silver, the three center ones of gold. Other Imperial Officers wear three gold stars on the front near the bottom.

Shrine Pins:—

The design of Shrine Pins worn by Imperial Officers may incorporate small stars as specified above.

Dress:—

Formal attire for a Shriner is Fez and Tuxedo. Tuxedo should not be worn before five o'clock in the afternoon unless continuous program for earlier hours makes same necessary or advisable.

ACCEPTED SALUTATIONS, ETC.

The Salaam:—

A Noble addressing the Potentate while he is presiding in the East should always give the Salaam.

The Salaam is always given by the Potentate and members of his Divan when receiving the Imperial Potentate, Imperial Officers and Past Imperial Potentates. The Imperial Potentate as well as the Imperial Officers and Past Imperial Potentates do not Salaam in return but give the sign of the Order.

Salutations:—

An Imperial Officer as well as a Past Imperial Potentate is always addressed as "Imperial Sir." A Potentate or Past Potentate is always addressed as "Illustrious Sir."

Salute:—

The Military Salute is used when reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and during the playing or singing of the National Anthem.

Pledge of Allegiance:—

"I pledge allegiance to my Flag and to the country for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all."

Salute to the Flag:—

A Noble who is wearing his Fez will execute a righthand salute when the Colors are within six paces of him; he will not remove his Fez. After the Colors have passed he should drop his right hand. In case the same Colors pass the same point again, as frequently happens in a Ceremonial procession or in display drills, the Colors need not be saluted a second time. The same rule applies to street parades.

Prayer:—

During the offering of a prayer, the Fez should be removed and held in the right hand over the heart.

Departure of Imperial Potentate:—

The Potentate of the Host Temple should be present at the hotel and at the airport or railroad station when the Imperial Potentate departs. Such other Nobles as he designates should also be in attendance. Aid in securing transportation to the next destination should be proffered to the Imperial Potentate previous to departure. Arrangements should be made beforehand for the handling of all baggage from the hotel to the station.

MEMORIAL—BURIAL SERVICE

A Shrine Memorial or Funeral Service should be permitted under unusual circumstances, where the deceased Noble's family requests it. Neither Service should preferably be held in place of the traditional Blue Lodge or other Masonic Service or Religious Rites. It may supplement the Blue Lodge Service but, except under unusual circumstances, should not take the place thereof. Both Services are intended as a tribute to Nobles who have performed unusual and meritorious service in behalf of a subordinate Temple, and the Shrine in particular.

The following protocol is suggested:

Upon arrival at the Church or graveside where the Memorial or Funeral Service is to be held, uniformed bodies are used to form the Honor aisle (from the curb to the entrance of the building or graveside).

The order of reception should be as follows:

1. Visiting Potentates, Past Potentates and Divans.
2. Visiting Dignitaries and celebrities (other than that listed below).
 - a. Most Worshipful Grand Master
3. Past Imperial Potentates.
4. Imperial Officers (in reverse order of their official station).
5. Imperial Potentate.

The escort appointed by the Potentate walks at the left of the Imperial Potentate and conducts the Imperial Potentate to the pew where the Imperial Divan is seated.

Seating at Memorial or Funeral Service:

Should be the same protocol as described in the seating of the Imperial Potentate and others at Ceremonials or Receptions.

The Imperial Potentate, Imperial Officers, and Nobles should remove their Fez upon entering the church edifice, undertaking establishment, or Memorial site (as well as the graveside) and remain uncovered until they return to the street curb.

Upon retiring, the same protocol should be followed as used in the entrance.

To avoid any embarrassing conflicts with traditional Masonic Services or Religious Rites, the following simple program is offered merely as a suggestion:

The Potentate can preside if he so desires or appoint another Noble or clergyman to conduct the Service. Shrine musical organizations and soloists can be used to good effect.

The following order of Service is suggested:

1. Organ or band in processional music.
2. Prayer.
3. Scriptural reading. Suggestion: 90th Psalm.
4. Biographical sketch of deceased Noble.
5. Hymn.
6. Address by Minister, Rabbi, or guest speaker.
7. Hymn.
8. Benediction.
9. Processional.

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1964-1965**

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PAST IMPERIAL POTENTATES

Date of Election and Length of Service as
Imperial Potentate

*III. WALTER M. FLEMING.....	Mecca Temple
June 6, 1876, to June 14, 1886	
*III. SAM BRIGGS.....	Al Koran Temple
June 14, 1886, to August 16, 1892	
*III. WILLIAM B. MELISH.....	Syrian Temple
August 16, 1892, to June 13, 1893	
*III. THOMAS J. HUDSON.....	Syria Temple
June 13, 1893, to July 25, 1894	
*III. WILLIAM B. MELISH.....	Syrian Temple
July 25, 1894, to September 3, 1895	
*III. CHARLES L. FIELD.....	Islam Temple
September 3, 1895, to June 23, 1896	
*III. HARRISON DINGMAN.....	Almas Temple
June 23, 1896, to June 9, 1897	
*III. ALBERT B. McGAFFEY.....	El Jebel Temple
June 9, 1897, to June 15, 1898	
*III. ETHELBERT F. ALLEN.....	Ararat Temple
June 15, 1898, to June 15, 1899	
*III. JOHN H. ATWOOD.....	Abdallah Temple
June 15, 1899, to May 23, 1900	
*III. LOU B. WINSOR.....	Saladin Temple
May 23, 1900, to June 12, 1901	
*III. PHILIP C. SHAFFER.....	Lu Lu Temple
June 12, 1901, to June 11, 1902	
*III. HENRY C. AKIN.....	Tangier Temple
June 11, 1902, to July 9, 1903	
*III. GEORGE H. GREEN.....	Hella Temple
July 9, 1903, to July 14, 1904	
*III. GEORGE L. BROWN.....	Ismailia Temple
July 14, 1904, to June 21, 1905	
*III. HENRY A. COLLINS.....	Rameses Temple
June 21, 1905, to June 13, 1906	
*III. ALVAH P. CLAYTON.....	Moila Temple
June 13, 1906, to May 8, 1907	
*III. FRANK C. ROUNDY.....	Medinah Temple
May 8, 1907, to July 15, 1908	
*III. EDWIN I. ALDERMAN.....	El Kahir Temple
July 15, 1908, to June 9, 1909	
*III. GEORGE L. STREET.....	Acca Temple
June 9, 1909, to April 12, 1910	
*III. FRED A. HINES.....	Al Malaikah Temple
April 12, 1910, to July 12, 1911	
*III. JOHN F. TREAT.....	El Zagal Temple
July 12, 1911, to May 9, 1912	
*III. WILLIAM J. CUNNINGHAM.....	Boumi Temple
May 9, 1912, to May 14, 1913	
*III. WILLIAM W. IRWIN.....	Osiris Temple
May 14, 1913, to May 13, 1914	
*III. FREDERICK R. SMITH.....	Damascus Temple
May 13, 1914, to July 15, 1915	
*III. J. PUTNAM STEVENS.....	Kora Temple
July 15, 1915, to July 13, 1916	

*Deceased

- *III.*HENRY F. NIEDRINGHAUS. Moolah Temple
July 13, 1916, to June 27, 1917
- *III.*CHARLES E. OVENSHERE. Zuhrah Temple
June 27, 1917, to June 6, 1918
- *III.*ELIAS J. JACOBY. Murat Temple
June 6, 1918, to June 12, 1919
- *III.*W. FREELAND KENDRICK. Lu Lu Temple
June 12, 1919, to June 24, 1920
- *III.*ELLIS L. GARRETSON. Affi Temple
June 24, 1920, to June 16, 1921
- *III.*ERNEST A. CUTTS. Alee Temple
June 16, 1921, to June 15, 1922
- *III.*JAMES S. McCANDLESS. Aloha Temple
June 15, 1922, to June 7, 1923
- *III.*CONRAD V. DYKEMAN. Kismet Temple
June 7, 1923, to June 5, 1924
- *III.*JAMES E. CHANDLER. Ararat Temple
June 5, 1924, to June 4, 1925
- *III.*JAMES C. BURGER. El Jebel Temple
June 4, 1925, to June 3, 1926
- *III.*DAVID W. CROSLAND. Alcazar Temple
June 3, 1926, to June 16, 1927
- *III.*CLARENCE M. DUNBAR. Palestine Temple
June 16, 1927, to May 3, 1928
- *III.*FRANK C. JONES. Arabia Temple
May 3, 1928, to June 6, 1929
- *III.*LEO V. YOUNGWORTH. Al Malaikah Temple
June 6, 1929, to June 12, 1930
- *III.*ESTEN A. FLETCHER. Damascus Temple
June 12, 1930, to July 16, 1931
- *III.*THOMAS J. HOUSTON. Medinah Temple
July 16, 1931, to July 27, 1932
- *III.*EARL C. MILLS. Za-Ga-Zig Temple
July 27, 1932, to July 13, 1933
- *III.*JOHN N. SEBRELL. Khedive Temple
July 13, 1933, to June 21, 1934
- *III.*DANA S. WILLIAMS. Kora Temple
June 21, 1934, to June 13, 1935
- III.*LEONARD P. STEUART. Almas Temple
June 13, 1935, to July 16, 1936
- *III.*CLYDE I. WEBSTER. Moslem Temple
July 16, 1936, to June 24, 1937
- *III.*WALTER S. SUGDEN. Osiris Temple
June 24, 1937, to June 9, 1938
- *III.*A. A. D. RAHN. Zuhrah Temple
June 9, 1938, to June 29, 1939
- *III.*WALTER D. CLINE. Maskat Temple
June 29, 1939, to June 13, 1940
- *III.*GEORGE F. OLENDORF. Abou Ben Adhem Temple
June 13, 1940, to June 12, 1941
- *III.*THOMAS C. LAW. Yaarab Temple
June 12, 1941 to July 1, 1942
- *III.*ALBERT H. FIEBACH. Al Koran Temple
July 1, 1942, to July 8, 1943
- *III.*MORLEY E. MACKENZIE. Rameses Temple
July 8, 1943, to July 7, 1944

*Deceased

- *III. ALFRED G. ARVOLD.....El Zagal Temple
July 7, 1944 to July 11, 1945
- III. WM. H. WOODFIELD, JR.....Islam Temple
July 11, 1945, to July 25, 1946
- *III. GEORGE H. ROWE.....Ismailia Temple
July 25, 1946, to May 29, 1947
- *III. KARL REX HAMMERS.....Syria Temple
May 29, 1947, to June 10, 1948
- *III. GALLOWAY CALHOUN.....Karem Temple
June 10, 1948, to July 21, 1949
- III. HAROLD LLOYD.....Al Malaikah Temple
July 21, 1949, to June 22, 1950
- *III. HUBERT M. POTEAT.....Sudan Temple
June 22, 1950, to July 13, 1951
- *III. ROLAND D. BALDWIN.....Morocco Temple
Honorary
- III. ROBERT G. WILSON, JR.....Aleppo Temple
July 13, 1951, to June 20, 1952
- III. HARVEY A. BEFFA.....Moolah Temple
June 20, 1952, to July 17, 1953
- III. REMMIE L. ARNOLD.....Acca Temple
July 17, 1953, to July 2, 1954
- *III. FRANK S. LAND.....Ararat Temple
July 2, 1954, to July 15, 1955
- III. WALTER C. GUY.....Scimitar Temple
July 15, 1955 to July 12, 1956
- III. GERALD D. CRARY.....Naja Temple
July 12, 1956 to July 18, 1957
- III. THOMAS W. MELHAM.....Tripoli Temple
July 18, 1957 to July 17, 1958
- III. GEORGE E. STRINGFELLOW.....Crescent Temple
July 17, 1958 to July 9, 1959
- *III. CLAYTON F. ANDREWS, M.D.Sesostris Temple
July 9, 1959, to July 14, 1960
- III. GEORGE A. MATTISON, JR.....Zamora Temple
July 14, 1960 to June 22, 1961
- III. MARSHALL M. PORTER.....Al Azhar Temple
June 22, 1961 to July 5, 1962
- III. GEORGE M. KLEPPER.....Al Chymia Temple
July 5, 1962 to July 11, 1963
- III. HAROLD C. CLOSE.....Sphinx Temple
July 11, 1963 to July 24, 1964

*Deceased

PAST IMPERIAL TREASURERS

- *III. AARON L. NORTHROP.....Mecca Temple
1876-1882
- *III. JOSEPH M. LEVEY.....Mecca Temple
1883-1889
- *III. JOSEPH S. WRIGHT.....Lu Lu Temple
1889-1894
- *III. WILLIAM S. BROWN.....Syria Temple
1894-1928
- *III. JAMES C. BURGER.....El Jebel Temple
1928-1937

*Deceased.

PAST IMPERIAL RECORDERS

- *WILLIAM S. PATTERSON.....Mecca Temple
1876-1889
- *FRANK M. LUCE.....Medinah Temple
1889-1894
- *BENJAMIN W. ROWELL.....Aleppo Temple
1894-1928
- *JAMES H. PRICE.....Acca Temple
1928-1943
- *EVERETT W. JACOBS.....Aleppo Temple
1943-1947
- FREDERICK WILKEN.....Almas Temple
1947-1948

*Deceased.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

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Klepper, George M.....	Al Chymia.....	Memphis, Tenn.
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Ball, Munger T.....	El Mina.....	Galveston, Texas
Lembke, Charles H.....	Ballut Abyad.....	Albuquerque, N.M.
Zarse, Henry F.....	Tripoli.....	Milwaukee, Wis.
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Hueter, Ernest C.....	Islam.....	San Francisco, Cal.
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68 Beds

Opened March 20, 1926

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Date of Board Meeting, 3rd Tuesday each month

Administrator—Miss Mable A. Ramspeck, R.N.....Hospital
address and telephone

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60 Beds

Opened September 1, 1927

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Hospital address & telephone

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30 Beds

Opened January 2, 1923

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Telephone 992-921

Date of Board Meeting, 3rd Monday each month

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Hospital address and telephone

Chief Surgeon—Dr. Ivar J. Larsen....Telephone 52561 (office)

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TEMPLES AFFILIATED

Aloha

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60 Beds

Opened January 22, 1925

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Telephone: Area Code 801, ELgin 5-5318

Date of Board Meeting, 2nd Monday each month

Administrator—Mrs. Maudie L. Horne, R.N....Hospital address
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Al Kaly	El Kalah	El Zaribah	Kerak	Korein
El Jebel	El Korah	(also Los Angeles)	(also San Francisco)	Los Angeles
	(also Portland)			

LEXINGTON UNIT

50 Beds

Opened November 1, 1926

1900 Richmond Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40505

Telephone 266-2101

Date of Board Meeting, 2nd Monday each month

Administrator—Mrs. Mary Trollope, R.N.

Hospital address & telephone

Chief Surgeon—Dr. Thomas D. Yocum. . . Telephone 277-5703 (ofc)

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1900 Richmond Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40505

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LOS ANGELES UNIT

60 Beds

Opened February 25, 1952

3160 Geneva Street, Los Angeles, California 90005

Telephone: Area Code 213, DUnkirk 8-3151

Date of Board Meeting, 3rd Monday each month

Administrator—Mrs. Mary Jane Krantz, R.N. . . . Hospital address
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Chief Surgeon—Dr. G. Wilbur Westin

Area Code 213, Richmond 9-7011

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Al Bahr	Al Malaikah	Ballut Abyad	El Bekal
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	(also Intermountain)	(also Intermountain,	
		San Francisco)	

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

MEXICO CITY UNIT

50 Beds

Opened March 10, 1945

New Building Occupied—December 13, 1961

Suchil No. 152, Xotepingo, Mexico 21, D.F.

Telephone 49-32-80

Date of Board Meeting, 2nd Monday each month

Administrator—Mrs. Betty Gold, R.N. Hospital address
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TEMPLES AFFILIATED

Abou Saad

Anezeh

MONTREAL UNIT

60 Beds

Opened February 18, 1925

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Telephone: Area Code 514, 842-4464

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TEMPLES AFFILIATED

Cairo (also Springfield)	Karnak Luxor	Media Mocha	Mount Sinai (also Springfield) Oriental (also Springfield)	Philae Rameses
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PHILADELPHIA UNIT

100 Beds

Opened June 24, 1926

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(also	(also	Kismet	Rajah	(also
Lexington)	Springfield)	Lu Lu	Syria	Spring-
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PORTLAND UNIT

80 Beds

Opened January 15, 1924

Sandy Boulevard & N.E. Eighty-Second Avenue,
Portland, Oregon 97220

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Date of Board Meeting, 2nd Monday each month

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TEMPLES AFFILIATED

Affi	El Korah	Gizeh	Hillah
(also Spokane)	(also Inter-	(also Winnipeg, Nile	
Al Kader	mountain)	Spokane)	(also Spokane)

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

ST. LOUIS UNIT

100 Beds

Opened April 8, 1924

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Ansar	port)	Midian	(also Shreveport)
	Hadi	Mirza	Zorah

SAN FRANCISCO UNIT

60 Beds

Opened June 16, 1923

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TEMPLES AFFILIATED

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SHREVEPORT UNIT

60 Beds

Opened September 16, 1922

Kingshighway and Samford Avenue, Shreveport, Louisiana 71103

Telephone: Area Code 318, 868-3681

Date of Board Meeting, 2nd Thursday each month

Administrator—Miss Lucile I. Dudley, R.N.....Hospital
address and telephone

Chief Surgeon—Dr. Bennett H. Young.....Area Code 318,
423-8313 (ofc)

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	Ben Hur	Hamasa	Khiva		Wahabi

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

SPOKANE UNIT

40 Beds

Opened November 15, 1924

N. 820 Summit Boulevard, Spokane, Washington 99201

Telephone: Area Code 509, FAirfax 7-9521

Date of Board Meeting, 2nd Tuesday each month

Administrator—Mrs. Doris I. Stephenson.....Hospital address
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FAirfax 7-9521

Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children

N. 820 Summit Boulevard, Spokane, Washington 99201

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424 Old National Bank Building, Spokane 1, Washington

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602 Spokane and Eastern Bldg., Spokane 1, Wash.

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W. 1108 Riverside Avenue, Spokane 1, Washington

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TEMPLES AFFILIATED

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(also Portland)	Bagdad	El Katif	(also Portland)	(also Portland)
Al Bedoo			Winnipeg)	

SPRINGFIELD UNIT

60 Beds

Opened February 21, 1925

516 Carew Street, Springfield, Massachusetts 01104

Telephone: Area Code 413, REpublic 2-3171

Date of Board Meeting, 4th Thursday each month, except

May and December when they are held on the Melha Temple

Ceremonial Date. No regular meetings in July and August.

Administrator—Miss Dorothy Forsythe, R.N.....Hospital address
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Bekdash	Ismailia	Mount Sinai	Sphinx
Cairo	(also Philadelphia)	(also Montreal)	Tigris
(also Montreal)	Kalurah	Oriental	Ziyara
		(also Montreal)	(also Philadelphia)

TWIN CITIES

60 Beds

Opened March 12, 1923

2025 East River Road, Minneapolis 14, Minnesota

Telephone: Area Code 612, FEderal 9-6711

Date of Board Meeting, 2nd & 4th Wednesdays each month

Administrator—Miss Helen Bassett, R.N.....Hospital address
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Chief Surgeon—Dr. Donald R. Lannin.....Area Code 612,
224-4961 (ofc)

2025 East River Road, Minneapolis 14, Minnesota

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Abu Bekr	Kaaba	Naja	Tripoli	(also
Ahmed	(also Chicago,	Osman	(also Chicago)	Chicago)
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WINNIPEG UNIT

50 Beds

Opened March 16, 1925

633 Wellington Crescent, Winnipeg 9, Manitoba, Canada

Telephone: Area Code 204, GLobe 2-4311

Date of Board Meeting, 1st Thursday each month

Administrator—Miss Jeannie Archibald, R.N.....Hospital address
and telephone

Chief Surgeon—Dr. William Burns McKinnon....Area Code 204,
WH 2-3559

532 Medical Arts Bldg., Kennedy & Graham
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	(also Portland, Spokane)		

SHRINERS BURNS INSTITUTES GALVESTON UNIT

Interim operation November 1, 1963—7 Beds

Shrine Professor of Surgery—Curtis P. Artz, M.D., F.A.C.S.
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Interim operation February 1, 1964—7 Beds

Shrine Professor of Surgery—Bruce G. MacMillan, M.D.
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 Telephone CHestnut 1-8948

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Organized 1938
 Quinn Glover, Secretary-Treasurer
 Box 5005, South Side Station, Little Rock, Arkansas 72206

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Abou Ben Adhem	Ararat	Isis	Moolah	Tehama
Abu Bekr	Bedouin	Kaaba	Sahara	Za-Ga-Zig
Akdar	El Jebel	Midian	Scimitar	
Al Kaly	El Kahir	Mirza	Sesostris	

DIXIE SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1960
 H. A. Patterson, Secretary-Treasurer
 321 Milam, Shreveport, La.

Abba	El Karubah	Wahabi	Zamora
Alcazar	Hamasa		

GEORGIA SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1960
 Alex Cameron, Secretary
 2547 Nancelon Circle, Macon, Georgia

Alee	Al Sihah	Hasan	Yaarab
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GREAT LAKES SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1949
 Frederick P. Schlitt, Secretary-Treasurer
 P.O. Box 487, 1010 E. Adams St., Springfield, Ill. 62705

Ahmed	Ansar	Medinah	Moslem	Syrian	Zenobia
Ainad	Antioch	Mizpah	Murat	Tadmor	Zorah
Aladdin	Elf Khurafeh	Mocha	Orak	Tebala	
Al Koran	Hadi	Mohammed	Saladin	Tripoli	

ILLINOIS SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1919
 W. Clyde Oliver, Secretary
 327 North Main St., Rockford, Ill.

Ainad	Ansar	Medinah	Mohammed	Tebala
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INDIANA SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Leroy C. McCullum, Secretary
 45 Muenich Court, Hammond, Ind.

Hadi	Mizpah	Murat	Orak	Zorah
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MID-ATLANTIC SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1940

Charley W. Pinnell, Secretary-Treasurer

701 W. Broad St., Richmond, Va. 23220

Acca	Crescent	Khedive	Nur	Zem Zem
Ali Ghan	Irem	Kismet	Osiris	Zembo
Almas	Jaffa	Lu Lu	Rajah	
Beni Kedem	Kazim	Mecca	Salaam	
Boumi	Kena	Nemesis	Syria	

MIDWEST SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1930

Wallace A. Tengquist, Secretary

201 E. First St., Duluth, Minn. 55802

Aad	El Riad	Kem	Osman	Zor
Abu Bekr	El Zagal	Khartum	Wa-Wa	Zuhrah
		Naja	Yelduz	

NEW YORK-ONTARIO SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1923

Edward O. Yackel, Jr., Secretary

120 E. Genesee St., Syracuse, N.Y. 13202

Cyprus	Ismailia	Kismet	Media	Rameses	Ziyara
Damascus	Kalurah	Mecca	Oriental	Tigris	

NORTHEASTERN SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1936

Harvey B. Leggee, Secretary-Treasurer

569 Boylston St., Boston 16, Mass.

Aleppo	Bektash	Karnak	Luxor	Mount Sinai	Philae	Sphinx
Anah	Cairo	Kora	Melha	Palestine	Pyramid	

OHIO SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1918

Fredrick W. Howell, Secretary-Treasurer

501-25 S. Main Bldg., Dayton 2, Ohio

Aladdin	Al Koran	Antioch	Syrian	Tadmor	Zenobia
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PACIFIC NORTHWEST SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1912

George H. Kellogg, Secretary

W. 1108 Riverside Ave., Spokane, Wash. 99201

Affi	Al Bedoo	Al Kader	Calam	El Korah	Hillah	Korein
Al Azhar	Algeria	Bagdad	El Katif	Gizeh	Kalif	Nile

PENNSYLVANIA SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1922

Paul R. Swab, Secretary-Treasurer

1401 No. Third St., Harrisburg, Pa. 17108

Irem	Jaffa	Lu Lu	Rajah	Syria	Zembo	Zem Zem
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THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

SOUTHEASTERN SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1934

Roy T. Lord, Secretary-Treasurer

4550 Ramona Blvd., Jacksonville, Fla. 32205

Abba	Alhambra	Egypt	Hejaz	Mahi	Omar	Yaarab
Alcazar	Al Menah	El Hasa	Jerusalem	Morocco	Rizpah	Zamora
Al Chymia	Al Sihah	Hamasa	Kerbela	Oasis	Sudan	
Alee	Bahia	Hasan	Kosair	Oleika	Wahabi	

TENNESSEE SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1953

M. T. Gossett, Secretary

1205 Church St., Nashville, Tenn. 37202

Al Chymia	Alhambra	Al Menah	Kerbela
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TEXAS SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1935

Clarke Petet, Secretary

P.O. Box 959, Dallas, Texas 75221

Alzafar	Ben Hur	El Mina	Karem	Maskat	Suez
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WESTERN SHRINE ASSOCIATION

Organized 1928

Brooks Dudley, Secretary

El Zaribah Temple, 15th Ave. at Washington St.

Phoenix, Arizona

Aahmes	Anezeh	El Kalah	Tehran
Al Bahr	Ballut Abyad	El Zaribah	
Al Malaikah	Ben Ali	Islam	
Aloha	El Bekal	Kerak	

GUIDE TO PRONUNCIATION

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TEMPLES

1 AAD TEMPLE (âd).....Duluth, Minnesota

201 E. First Street Area Code 218
 Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd and 4th Friday of each month,
 and subject to call.

Dispensation September 5, 1905 Charter June 12, 1906

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,545

Potentate—George A. Borgeson..Area Code 218, AMherst 2-4710
 2118 East Third Avenue, Hibbing, Minn., 55746

Chief Rabban—Raymond H. Erickson..Area Code 218, 722-7041
 2210 West 12th Street, Duluth, Minn. 55806

Recorder—Wallace A. Tengquist.....Area Code 218, 722-7488
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 131 East Second Street, Duluth, Minn., 55802

Mortician

2 AAHMES TEMPLE (â'mēz).....Oakland, California

3291 School Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Wednesday in each month except
 July and August.

Dispensation April 13, 1910 Charter July 12, 1911

Membership January 1, 1964, 9,179

Potentate—John G. Kelly.....Area Code 701, 545-6674
 1221 Spring St., Santa Rosa, Calif., 95400

Chief Rabban—Fred E. Anderson.....Area Code 415, 451-2607
 710 Paloma Ave., Oakland, Calif., 94610

Recorder—Leroy R. Williams.....Area Code 415, 534-4546
 3291 School Street, Oakland, Calif., 94602

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Attorney

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 2418 Cedar Street, Berkeley, Calif., 94606

Attorney

3 ABBA TEMPLE (âb'bâ).....Mobile, Alabama

1056 Government Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday of each month.

Dispensation June 18, 1903 Charter July 9, 1903

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,997

Potentate—Jewell Boone.....Area Code 205, 477-5973

27 Lee St., Mobile, Ala., 36602

Chief Rabban—Ralph H. Thurman.....Area Code 205, 478-1179

2409 Government St., Mobile, Ala., 36606

Recorder—Wayne T. Dennis.....Area Code 205, 433-4786

P.O. Box 4506, Mobile, Ala., 36604

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27 Lee St., Mobile, Ala., 36602

Service Foreman, Alabama Power Co.

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Real Estate and Insurance

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4721 Bavarian Dr., Mobile, Ala., 36609

Sales

Thomas E. Hoiles (P.P.).....Area Code 205, WR 7-2312

Robertsdale, Ala., 36567

Distributor, Gulf Oil Co.

4 ABDALLAH TEMPLE (ăb dăl'lâ) Kansas City, Kansas

726 Armstrong

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Tuesday, except June, July and August.

Dispensation March 28, 1887 Charter June 20, 1887

Membership January 1, 1964, 2975

Potentate—Don V. Williams.....Area Code 913, DR 1-1040

726 Armstrong, Kansas City, Kansas, 66101

Chief Rabban—Donald E. Schulze....Area Code 913, FA 1-7744

417 No. 18th, Kansas City, Kansas, 66102

Recorder—Maxon G. Sierk.....Area Code 913, DR 1-1040

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Owner, Automotive Renewal

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2230 Nebraska, Kansas City 66102

Chief Sanitarian

5 ABOU BEN ADHEM TEMPLE (â'boobën äd'ëm) Springfield, Missouri

601 St. Louis Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 4th Thursday of each month, except January, 2nd Thursday. No meetings in July and August.

Charter July 9, 1903

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,431

Potentate—W. Harold Owen.....Area Code 417, UN 2-4411
1747 S. S. Sta., Springfield, Mo., 65805

Chief Rabban—Edmund C. Forehand..Area Code 417, UN 2-0792
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Crocker, Missouri 65452

Banker

6 ABOU SAAD TEMPLE (â'boo sâd) Panama Canal Zone

P.O. Box 3668, Balboa, Canal Zone

Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan., May, Sept., Nov. At Call of the Potentate.

Dispensation June 27, 1917 Charter June 6, 1918

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,798

Potentate—Ralph Kenneth Frangioni.....Telephone 83-2294
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P.O. Box J, Gamboa, C.Z.

Recorder—Howard Guy Gee.....Telephone 83-7185
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Supervisor, Automotive Repair

7 ABU BEKR TEMPLE (â'boo bëck'ër) Sioux City, Iowa

515—6th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Thursday in each month.

Dispensation May 8, 1907 Charter July 15, 1908

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,930

Potentate—Richard Dove.....Telephone 8-5521

405 Frances Building, Sioux City, Iowa 51101

Chief Rabban—Ralph Heaton.....Telephone 5-8961

1309 Nebraska Street, Sioux City, Iowa 51105

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614 Frances Building, Sioux City, Iowa 51101

Dentist

Denver Krall (P.P.).....Telephone 8-5860

131 Stewart Avenue W., Sioux City, Iowa 51104

Owner, Glass Company

8 ACCA TEMPLE (ăk'kâ).....Richmond, Virginia

1712 Bellevue Ave., P.O. Box 9217

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation June 9, 1886

Charter June 20, 1887

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,119

Potentate—Archer B. Gay.....Area Code 703, 648-6346

1502 Palmyra Ave., Richmond, Va. 23227

Chief Rabban—William C. Seibert.....Area Code 703, 644-4111

Ext. 2447

P.O. Box 1197, Richmond, Va. 23209

Recorder—Hunter G. Cockrell.....Area Code 703, 359-0356

P.O. Box 9217, Richmond, Va. 23227

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1115 Mutual Building, Richmond, Va. 23219

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1502 Palmyra Ave., Richmond, Va. 23227

Grand Secy., Grand Lodge of Va.

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P.O. Box 1197, Richmond, Va. 23209

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Harry J. Brown

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3344 Cedar Grove Road, Richmond, Va. 23235

State Manager, Hiram Walker, Inc.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

9 AFIFI TEMPLE (â fee'fee).....Tacoma, Washington
47 St. Helens Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Thursday each month except June,
July, and August.

Dispensation September 5, 1888 Charter June 17, 1889

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,411

Potentate—Harold W. Meyer.....Area Code 206, JU 8-8796
11923 Gravelly Lake Drive, Tacoma, Wash. 98499

Chief Rabban—Walter Hogan.....Area Code 206, JU 8-4403
9630 Gravelly Lake Drive, Tacoma, Wash. 98499

Recorder—Edward L. Reames.....Area Code 206, BR 2-0391
47 St. Helens Ave., Tacoma, Wash. 98402

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1010 East Main Street, Puyallup, Wash. 98371

Retail Grocer

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11923 Gravelly Lake Drive, Tacoma, Wash. 98499

Druggist

Walter Hogan (C.R.).....Area Code 206, JU 8-4403
9630 Gravelly Lake Drive, Tacoma, Wash. 98499

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Rt. 2, Box 2301, Gig Harbor, Wash. 98335

Judge

Cecil B. Walrath (P.P.).....Area Code 206, SK 9-8265
2902 Soundview Drive West, Tacoma, Wash. 98466

Retired

10 AHMED TEMPLE (â'mëd) Marquette, Michigan

128 W. Washington St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Friday after 1st Monday monthly.

Dispensation June 14, 1893 Charter July 25, 1894

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,274

Potentate—Kenneth E. Bakkum.....Area Code 906, EV 7-2355
Munising Coal Company, Munising, Mich. 49862

Chief Rabban—Harry W. Gjelsteen....Area Code 906, UN 3-2811
218 First St., Menominee, Mich. 49858

Recorder—Robert L. Bouschor.....Area Code 906, CA 5-0245
P.O. Box 569, Marquette, Mich. 49855

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Kenneth E. Bakkum (P.).....Area Code 906, EV 7-2355
Munising Coal Company, Munising Mich. 49862

Manager & Secretary of Munising Coal Co.

Harry W. Gjelsteen (C.R.).....Area Code 906, UN 3-2811
218 First St., Menominee, Mich. 49858

Architect

Robert L. Bouschor (Rec.).....Area Code 906, CA-5-0245
P.O. Box 569, Marquette, Mich. 49855

Accountant

Brodie C. Westen (T.).....Area Code 906, CA 6-2684
315 W. Kaye Ave., Marquette, Mich. 49855

Railroad Car Inspector

11 AINAD TEMPLE (ī'nād) East St. Louis, Illinois

609 St. Louis Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Friday each month except July and August.

Dispensation May 8, 1912

Charter May 13, 1913

Membership January 1, 1964, 7,309

Potentate—Wyatt Rawlings Telephone KE 7-2049
913 Belleville Street, Lebanon, Illinois 62254

Chief Rabban—Francis D. Conner Area Code 618, BR 1-5100
234 Collinsville Avenue, East St. Louis, Illinois 62201

Recorder—Robert F. Miller Area Code 618, UP 4-1871
609 St. Louis Avenue, East St. Louis, Illinois 62201

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Louis Chackes (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) Area Code 314, CH 1-8948
1221-2 Louderman Building, St. Louis, Missouri 63101

Retired

Wyatt Rawlings (P.) Telephone KE 7-2049
913 Belleville Street, Lebanon, Illinois 62254

Education

Francis D. Conner (C.R.) Area Code 618, BR 1-5100
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Lawyer

Lloyd E. Turnbull (P.P.) Area Code 618, 548-0830
P.O. Box 465, Salem, Illinois 62881

Supervisor for Texas Pipe Line Co.

Jesse C. Nichols, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 618, EX 7-2843
3 Woodside Drive, Belleville, Illinois 62223

Stockbroker

12 AKDAR TEMPLE (āk'dâr).....Tulsa, Oklahoma

20 E. 21st Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Thursday each month except
July and August.

Dispensation July 12, 1911 Charter May 7, 1912

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,392

Potentate—Howard Cowan.....Area Code 918, LU 3-3611

P.O. Box 201, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101

Chief Rabban—Charles H. Rosenberger, Area Code 918, LU 3-6224

P.O. Box 2236, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101

Recorder—Robert T. Gow.....Area Code 918, LU 7-6658

P.O. Box 2008, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74101

REPRESENTATIVESRobert T. Gow (*Emeritus*) (Rec. P.P.).....Area Code 918

WE 6-5544

2608 East 13th Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74104

*Recorder, Adkar Temple*B. W. Vetter (*Emeritus*) (P.P.).....Area Code 918, LU 2-8259

914 Daniel Building, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74103

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P.O. Box 201, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101

Director, Public Relations, Public Service

Charles H. Rosenberger (C.R.).....Area Code 918, LU 3-6224

P.O. Box 2236, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101

Sec.-Treas., Majestic Lubricating Oil Co.

E. Tom Williams.....Area Code 918, TE 5-2516

5040 East Third Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74112

Nat'l Fleet & Foreign Sales, International Harvester Co.

Perry W. Ward (P.P.).....Area Code 918, RI 2-7316

2010 South Utica, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74104

*Advertising Agency***13 ALADDIN TEMPLE (ālăd'dîn)Columbus, Ohio**

34 North Fourth Street

Dates of Stated Meetings Fourth Friday of each month.

Dispensation June 14, 1893 Charter July 25, 1894

Membership January 1, 1964, 12,806

Potentate—Earl J. Brothers.....Area Code 614, BE 1-7106

1469 Cottingham Court, W., Columbus, Ohio 43209

Chief Rabban—Homer C. Helser.....Area Code 614, 486-6858

3130 Bembridge Rd., Columbus, Ohio 43221

Recorder—Raymond J. Lewis.....Area Code 614, CA 8-2609

34 N. 4th St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

REPRESENTATIVES

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1469 Cottingham Court, W., Columbus, Ohio 43209

Director of Marketing, Hercules Box Co.

Homer C. Helser (CR).....Area Code 614, 486-6858

3130 Bembridge Rd., Columbus, Ohio 43215

State Highway Purchasing Agent

Benjamin L. Collins (AR).....Area Code 614, 294-3753

915 W. 5th Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43212

District Manager, White Castle System

Clarence W. England (P.P.).....Area Code 614, CA 8-1531

518 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215

Asst. Agency Director, State Automobile Insurance

14 AL AZHAR TEMPLE (ăl ă'zhâr) Calgary, Alberta

506 Seventeenth Avenue S.W.

Dates of Stated Meetings, at call of Potentate.

Dispensation October 14, 1907

Charter July 15, 1908

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,248

Potentate—W. Ralph Pepper Area Code 403, CH 3-0667

4411 Britannia Drive, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Chief Rabban—S. J. Parkinson Area Code 403, AM 6-8841

2307 Sunset Avenue, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Recorder—Thomas B. Donald Area Code 403, AM 2-7207

506—17th Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada

REPRESENTATIVES

Marshall M. Porter (*Ad Vitam*) (★★★★★)

Area Code 403, AL 5-0785

200 Eagle Ridge Road, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Justice, Appellate Division, Supreme Court of Canada

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4411 Britannia Drive, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Managing Owner, Pepper Investments, Ltd.

S. J. Parkinson (C.R.) Area Code 403, AM 6-8841

2307 Sunset Avenue, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

President, Calgary Motor Products, Ltd.

E. J. "Ted" Brookes (P.P.) Area Code 403, AM 3-3640

506—8th Avenue S.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Florist

Ralph Nelson Telephone PO 2-2159

Box 349 Otter St., Banff, Alberta, Canada

Manager

15 AL BAHR TEMPLE (ăl bâr') San Diego, California

350 Cedar Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday in January, April, July and October.

Dispensation May 7, 1912

Charter May 13, 1913

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,135

Potentate—Robert "Bud" James Area Code 714, 239-6061

P.O. Box 128, San Diego, Calif. 92112

Chief Rabban—George E. Bryans Area Code 714, 234-7461

2055 Third Ave., San Diego, Calif. 92101

Recorder—Harold M. Long Area Code 714, 232-8184

350 Cedar St., San Diego, Calif. 92101

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350 Cedar St., San Diego, Calif. 92101

Recorder, Al Bahr

Delavan J. Dickson (P.P.) . . . Area Code 714, 239-7711, Ext. 651

Room 102, Civic Center, San Diego, Calif. 92101

County Treasurer, San Diego County

16 AL BEDOO TEMPLE (äl bē doo')..Billings, Montana

1125 Broadwater Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Thursday of each month, except June, July and August.

Dispensation June 16, 1921

Charter June 15, 1922

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,980

Potentate—W. Glenn Roebuck.....Area Code 406, 259-3670
P.O. Box 1911, Billings, Montana 59101*Chief Rabban*—L. Wayne Hageman....Area Code 406, 698-4194
601 Third Avenue, Laurel, Montana 59044*Recorder*—Stewart North.....Area Code 406, 259-4384
P.O. Box 1664, Billings, Montana 59101**REPRESENTATIVES**Carl A. Rahn (*Emeritus*) (P.P.).....Area Code 406, 252-6681
P.O. Box 2533, Billings, Montana 59101*Wholesale Distributor*L. David Coon.....Area Code 406, 248-6710
2308 Pine St., Billings, MontanaL. Wayne Hageman (C.R.).....Area Code 406, 698-4194
601 Third Avenue, Laurel, Montana 59044*Retired*Harold J. Fraser.....Area Code 406, 259-8808
935 Burlington Avenue, Billings, Montana 59102*Wholesale Dry Goods*Fred M. Bourke.....Area Code 406, 538-9089
P.O. Box 559, Lewistown, Montana 59457*Machinery Dealer***17 ALCAZAR TEMPLE (äl cä'zêr) Montgomery, Alabama**

1021 Madison Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday—Jan., April, July, Oct.

Dispensation May 14, 1913

Charter May 13, 1914

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,463

Potentate—Vernon K. Shriner.....Area Code 205, 263-5589
217 Columbus Street, Montgomery, Ala. 36104*Chief Rabban*—William E. Goodwin...Area Code 205, 265-8581
904 First National Bank Bldg., Montgomery, Ala. 36104*Recorder*—Lawrence W. Rutter.....Area Code 205, 263-2211
P.O. Box 909, Montgomery, Ala. 36102**REPRESENTATIVES**Vernon K. Shriner (P.).....Area Code 205, 263-5589
217 Columbus Street, Montgomery, Ala. 36104*President, Florida Fish Corporation*William E. Goodwin (C.R.).....Area Code 205, 265-8581
904 First National Bank Bldg., Montgomery, Ala. 36104*Dental Surgeon*Stephen P. Riales.....Area Code 205, 264-6928
446 Buford Street, Montgomery, Ala. 36107*Retired, U.S. Air Force*R. Pep Powell.....Area Code 205, 262-4806
3012 Biltmore Ave., Montgomery Ala. 36109*Owner, Photo-Sound Company*

18 AL CHYMIA TEMPLE (āl kī miā) Memphis, Tennessee

1257 Poplar

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday in each month.

Dispensation April 18, 1891 Charter August 16, 1892

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,556

Potentate—Richard S. Guenther.....Area Code 901, BR 4-2295

894 Sheridan, Memphis, Tenn. 38107

Chief Rabban—George R. Holley.....Area Code 901, JA 5-0477

594 S. Prescott, Memphis, Tenn. 38111

Recorder—J. C. Hankins.....Area Code 901, BR 6-6379

P.O. Box 146, Memphis, Tenn. 38101

REPRESENTATIVES

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Area Code 901, JA 6-5121

540 Sterick Bldg., Memphis, Tenn. 38103

Attorney

John B. Vesey (*Emeritus*) (P.P.).....Area Code 901, JA 6-7879

825 Union, Memphis, Tenn. 38103

General Secretary, Scottish Rite Bodies

Richard S. Guenther (P.).....Area Code 901, BR 4-2295

894 Sheridan, Memphis, Tenn. 38107

Owner, Bluff City Engraving Co.

George R. Holley (C.R.).....Area Code 901, JA 5-0477

594 S. Prescott, Memphis, Tenn. 38111

Owner, Holley Insurance Co.

Isaac M. Bilsky.....Area Code 901, MU 3-9082

11 Pinehurst, Memphis, Tenn. 38117

Doctor of Dental Surgery

Rufus E. Craven.....Area Code 901, FA 4-9524

94 S. Highland, Memphis, Tenn. 38111

Plastic Surgeon

19 ALEE TEMPLE (ā'lee).....Savannah, Georgia

429 Bull Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Mondays, April, July, Oct. & Dec.

Dispensation June 24, 1896 Charter June 9, 1897

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,801

Potentate—George E. Oliver.....Area Code 912, AD 3-8128

Room No. 210-11 Court House, Savannah, Ga. 31401

Chief Rabban—J. Curtis Lewis, Jr.Area Code 912, AD 6-5723

P.O. Box 2188, Savannah, Ga. 31402

Recorder—J. H. Jarrott, Jr.Area Code 912, AD 2-8614

P.O. Box 669, Savannah, Ga. 31402

REPRESENTATIVES

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Room No. 210-11, Court House, Savannah, Ga. 31401

Judge of City Court, Savannah, Ga.

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P.O. Box 2188, Savannah, Ga. 31402

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P.O. Box 669, Savannah, Ga. 31402

Recorder of Alee Temple

Rochell B. Davis.....Area Code 912, 527-2311

311 S. First St., Jesup, Ga. 31545

Self-Employed

20 ALEPPO TEMPLE (ă lě'ppō)...**Boston, Massachusetts**
569 Boylston Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of the Potentate.

Dispensation August 3, 1882

Charter June 6, 1883

Membership January 1, 1964, 16,307

Potentate—Clarence G. Young.....Area Code 617, KE 6-0757
569 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass. 02116

Chief Rabban—William A. Odell.....Area Code 617, MI 3-3048
44 Grandview Road, Arlington, Mass. 02174

Recorder—Harvey B. Leggee.....Area Code 617, KE 6-0678
569 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass. 02116

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Edgar L. Turner (*At Large*) (★★★)...Area Code 617, HI 4-3100
32 Fremont Street, Needham Heights, Mass. 02194

Treasurer, Seven-Up Bottling Co. of Boston

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. (*Ad Vitam*) (★★★★★)

Area Code 617, CA 7-2131

73 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass. 02108

Judge of Probate

Willard P. Lombard (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)

Area Code 617, LA 3-3810

18 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass. 02108

Lawyer

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569 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass. 02116

Superintendent of Distribution, Boston Gas Co.

William A. Odell (C.R.).....Area Code 617, MI 3-3048
44 Grandview Road, Arlington, Mass. 02174

Retired

Carl R. MacKenney (A.R.).....Area Code 617, 267-5060
601 Newbury Street, Boston, Mass. 02215

Printer

Herbert N. Faulkner (P.P.).....Area Code 617, HU 2-3740
19 Renwick Road, Melrose, Mass. 02176

Banker

21 ALGERIA TEMPLE (āl gē'riā). . . . **Helena, Montana**

15 North Jackson Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Monday each month Except July and August

Dispensation March 23, 1888

Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,779

Potentate—John C. Hawke. Area Code 406, 543-5351
409 Evans, Missoula, Montana 59801

Chief Rabban—John Zoller. Area Code 406, 452-2600
2101 1st Ave. So., Great Falls, Montana 59401

Recorder—A Douglas Ferris. Area Code 406, 442-4480
P.O. Box 1721, Helena, Montana 59601

REPRESENTATIVES

William K. Converse (*Emeritus*) (*Emeritus Rec.*)

Area Code 406, 422-4480

P.O. Box 1721, Helena, Montana 59601

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409 Evans, Missoula, Mont. 59801

Dentist

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2101 1st Ave. So., Great Falls, Montana 59401

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Roy O. Johnson. Area Code 406, 228-4081
P.O. Box 352, Glasgow, Montana 59230

Plumbing Contractor

Roy W. Page. Area Code 406, 453-6317
2912 Third Ave. So., Great Falls, Montana 59401

Merchant

22 ALHAMBRA TEMPLE (āl hām'brā)

Chattanooga, Tennessee

2 Market Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Friday each month.

Dispensation September 15, 1889

Charter June 23, 1890

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,021

Potentate—Harold E. Brown. Area Code 615, 267-5463
1118 James Building, Chattanooga, Tenn. 37402

Chief Rabban—David B. Soloff. Area Code 615, 629-7337
4403 So. Choctaw Drive, Chattanooga, Tenn. 37411

Recorder—U. K. Whaley. Area Code 615, 267-3788
2 Market Street, Chattanooga, Tenn. 37402

REPRESENTATIVES

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1118 James Building, Chattanooga, Tenn. 37402

Attorney

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4403 So. Choctaw Drive, Chattanooga, Tenn. 37411

Contractor

Robert E. Cooper. Area Code 615,
1306 Lawrence Road, Chattanooga 5, Tenn.

C. L. Faulkner. Area Code 615, 624-5512
2011 Chamberlain Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn. 37404

Fire Captain

23 ALI GHAN TEMPLE (â'lē gân) . . . Cumberland, Md.

309 Decatur Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Friday of each month.

Dispensation June 4, 1925

Charter June 3, 1926

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,920

Potentate—C. William Hetzer, Sr. . . Area Code 301, CA 3-9803
Milestone Farm, Route No. 2, Williamsport, Md. 21795*Chief Rabban*—J. Glenn Beall, Jr. . . . Area Code 301, OV 9-6661
66 Water Street, Frostburg, Md. 21532*Recorder*—J. Wallace Close (P.P.) . . . Area Code 301, 724-5970
P.O. Box 1416, Cumberland, Md. 21501**REPRESENTATIVES**C. William Hetzer (P.) Area Code 301, CA 3-9803
Route No. 2, Milestone Farm, Williamsport, Md. 21795
*Engineer*J. Wallace Close (Rec. P.P.) Area Code 301, 724-4277
862 Camden Avenue, Cumberland, Md.
*Coal Operator*Woodward D. Pealer (P.P.) Area Code 301, 724-0215
1027 Penhurst Avenue, Cumberland, Md. 21501
*Tire Store Manager*Winfield H. Adam (A.R.) Area Code 301, 724-4799
1905 Bedford Street, Cumberland, Md.
*Executive Secretary, C U F***24 AL KADER TEMPLE (āl kā'dēr) . . . Portland, Oregon**

1119 S.W. Park Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Monday, except July and August.

Dispensation January 3, 1888

Charter June 17, 1889

Membership January 1, 1964, 7,670

Potentate—Lyle W. Hammack Area Code 503, AT 8-5101
3303 N. E. Union Ave., Portland, Oregon 97212*Chief Rabban*—George W. McMurphey Area Code 503, BE 4-7265
1136 S. E. Oak Street, Portland, Oregon 97214*Recorder*—Ray E. Garner Area Code 503, CA 6-2818
1119 S. W. Park Ave., Portland, Oregon 97205**REPRESENTATIVES**Lyle W. Hammack (P.) Area Code 503, AT 8-5101
3303 N. E. Union Ave., Portland, Oregon 97212
*President, Raven Creamery*George W. McMurphey (C.R.) Area Code 503, BE 4-7265
1136 S. E. Oak St., Portland, Oregon 97214
*Advertising Co.*W. W. Youngson, Jr. (A.R.) Area Code 503, 226-7827
709 S. W. 15th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97205
*Secretary, Portland Scottish Rite Bodies*Kenneth B. Hall (P.P.) Area Code 503, BE 6-4117
1035 S. E. 9th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97214
Machinery Manufacturing Executive

25 AL KALY TEMPLE (āl kā'li) Pueblo, Colorado

101 North Union Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday, except June, July, August.

Dispensation June 24, 1920

Charter June 16, 1921

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,918

Potentate—Harold Florman Area Code 303, 544-2807

P.O. Box 375, Pueblo, Colo. 81002

Chief Rabban—W. F. Griffin Area Code 303, 545-4322

Suite 140, Continental Hotel, Pueblo, Colo. 81001

Recorder—Harry A. Taylor . . Area Code 303, 542-8190 & 544-0658

P.O. Box 193, Pueblo, Colo. 81002

REPRESENTATIVES

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Retired

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Real Estate Broker

Harry A. Taylor (Rec.) . . . Area Code 303, 542-8196 & 544-0658

P.O. Box 193, Pueblo, Colo. 81002

Recorder

Kenneth J. Edwards, Jr. Area Code 303, 632-3676

26 E. Monument St., Colo. Springs, Colo. 80903

Podiatrist

26 AL KORAN TEMPLE (āl kōrān') Cleveland, Ohio

3411 Euclid Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Monday each month. Annual Meeting 4th Monday of Jan.

Dispensation November 16, 1876

Charter January 22, 1877

Membership Jan. 1, 1964, 12,271

Potentate Clarke H. Joy Area Code 216, TR 1-5900

27005 Knickerbocker Road, Bay Village, Ohio 44140

Chief Rabban—John T. Wolfenden . . . Area Code 216, UT 1-9282

3500 Prospect Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44115

Recorder—Wm. B. Mathews Area Code 216, HE 2-1770

3411 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44115

REPRESENTATIVES

Charles G. White (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 216, AC 6-5200

15509 Madison Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio 44107

Real Estate, Maerkle White Huxtable Auble Co.

Clarke H. Joy (P.) Area Code 216, TR 1-5900

27005 Knickerbocker Road, Bay Village, Ohio 44140

President, Clarke H. Joy Co.

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3500 Prospect Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44115

President, Wolfenden Welding Supplies, Inc.

Henry D. Thomas (A.R.) . . . Area Code 216, IV 8-1211 Canton

c/o Stark Ceramic, Inc., East Canton, Ohio

Comptroller, Stark Ceramic, Inc.

Paul A. Chevallard Area Code 216, 621-6722

1231 Main Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44113

Vice President, Brewer Chilcote Paper Co.

27 AL MALAIKAH TEMPLE (āl mā lē'kâ)

Los Angeles, California

665 West Jefferson Blvd.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Saturday January, April, July,
October

Dispensation February 20, 1888 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 28,743

Potentate—Mark T. Gates Area Code 213, EX 5-9988
101 Winnett Place, Santa Monica, California 90402*Chief Rabban*—John Rounsavelle . . . Area Code 213, DU 8-5133
3974 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90005*Recorder*—James E. Lewis Area Code 213, RI 8-0173
665 West Jefferson Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90007

REPRESENTATIVES

C. P. MacGregor (*At Large*) (★★★) . . Area Code 213, DU 4-4191
729 South Western Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90005*Industrialist*Harold Lloyd (*Ad Vitam and Emeritus*) (★★★★)

Area Code 213, BR 2-5246

P.O. Box 470, Beverly Hills, California 90213

*Motion Picture Producer*Mark T. Gates (P.) Area Code 213, EX 5-9988
101 Winnett Place, Santa Monica, California 90402*President, Gates, Kingsley & Gates Mortuaries*John Rounsavelle (C.R.) Area Code 213, DU 8-5133
3974 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90005*Insurance*Elmer P. Bromley (P.P.) Area Code 213, DU 4-1118
3946 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90005*Attorney*Roger E. Murdock (P.P.) . . Area Code 213, MA 4-5211, Ext. 3211
150 North Los Angeles St., Los Angeles, California 90012*Deputy Chief of Police*

28 ALMAS TEMPLE (āl'mās) Washington, D.C.

1315 'K' St., N.W.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan., March, June, Dec.

Dispensation January 7, 1886

Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,011

Potentate—William J. MilehamArea Code 202, NA 8-7933

1315 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005

Chief Rabban—Bernard D. CooperArea Code 202, DI 7-8300

5016 Upton Street, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20016

Recorder—Herbert A. Friede (P.P.) . .Area Code 202, NA 8-7933

1315 K Street, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20005

REPRESENTATIVES

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(★★★★)Area Code 202, DE 2-4800

1440 P Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20005

Owner & Vice-President, L. P. Steuart, Inc.

Frederick Wilken (*Ad Vitam*) (P.I.R.)

Area Code 202, WO 6-0006

3346 Tennyson Street, N. W., Washington D.C. 20015

Retired

Howard P. Foley (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . .Area Code 202, FE 7-6500

2020 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006

Chairman of the Board, The Howard P. Foley Co.

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1315 K Street, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20005

Sales Director, Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co.

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5016 Upton Street, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20016

Vice-President, Weaver Bros., Inc. (Mortgage Banker)

William J. Liverman (P.P.)Area Code 202, 362-3038

4000 Massachusetts Ave., N. W., Washington, D.C. 20016

Deputy Chief, Metropolitan Police Dept.

Harry Martens, Jr. (P.P.)Area Code 202, DE 2-4800

1440 P Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20005

President, Imperial Insurance Co.

29 AL MENAH TEMPLE (āl mā'nā) Nashville, Tenn.
100-7th Avenue No.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Tuesday.

Dispensation May 8, 1912

Charter May 13, 1913

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,435

Potentate—Jack Norman, Jr.Area Code 615, 255-7731
213 Third Avenue No., Nashville, Tennessee 37203

Chief Rabban—Albert G. Bennett.Area Code 615, 242-6344
1129 Stahlman Building, Nashville, Tennessee 37203

Recorder—William L. Dunn.Area Code 615, 255-3800
100 Seventh Avenue No., Nashville, Tennessee 37203

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Attorney

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1129 Stahlman Building, Nashville, Tennessee 37203

Insurance Agency

Clyde R. Watson (A.R.)Area Code 615, 256-1839
1808 West End Building, Nashville, Tennessee 37203

Accountant

John D. Whalley (P.P.)Area Code 615, 256-1117
226 Third Avenue No., Nashville, Tennessee 37203

Attorney

30 ALOHA TEMPLE (ā lo'hā)Honolulu, Hawaii
409 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg., 161 South King Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Saturday, January, April, July and October.

Dispensation May 23, 1900

Charter June 12, 1901

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,809

Potentate—William A. Boyen.Telephone 744-747
409 First National Bank Building,

161 South King Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Chief Rabban—Donald J. Crockett.Telephone 94-802
P.O. Box 3017, Honolulu, Hawaii 96802

Recorder—Edward Crapo.Telephone 586-509
409 First National Bank Building,

161 South King Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

REPRESENTATIVES

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U. S. Army Officer, Director U. S. Selective Service

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President, Crockett Sales, Ltd.

Darrell H. Puckett (P.P.)Telephone 503-691
4208 Puulani Place, Honolulu, Hawaii 96816

Business Executive

Richard H. Rice (P.P.)Telephone 563-861
3358 Kahawalu Drive, Honolulu, Hawaii 96817

Business Executive & Trust Officer

31 AL SIHAH TEMPLE (āl sē'hâ).....Macon, Georgia
745 Poplar Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation April 13, 1910 Charter July 12, 1911

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,506

Potentate—Nat W. Massey.....Area Code 912, SH 3-7526
2613 Cherokee Avenue, Macon, Georgia 31204

Chief Rabban—James S. Jones.....Area Code 912, SH 5-4740
713 Woodridge Drive, Macon, Georgia 31204

Recorder—Emory A. Daniel.....Area Code 912, SH 3-6386
Post Office Box 1494, Macon, Georgia 31202

REPRESENTATIVES

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Building Contractor

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City Engineer

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Post Office Box 853, Fort Valley, Georgia 31030
Postal Employee

32 ALZAFAR TEMPLE (al'zā fâr)....San Antonio, Texas
503 Fourth Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Thursday each month

Charter July 13, 1916

Membership January 1, 1964, 6,087

Potentate—Jack B. Lee.....Area Code 512, CA 6-6169
409 Camden St., San Antonio, Texas 78215

Chief Rabban—Robert B. O'Connor....Area Code 512, CA 7-7565
1515 NBC Bldg., San Antonio, Texas 78205

Recorder—Thomas H. Phillips, Jr.Area Code 512, CA 5-7691
P.O. Box 2239, San Antonio, Texas 78206

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Physician

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1515 NBC Bldg., San Antonio, Texas 78205
Attorney

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639 Elizabeth Rd., San Antonio, Texas 78209
Owner, Welding Supply

William C. Young.....Area Code 512, CA 7-5175
204 Saddletree Rd., San Antonio, Texas 78231
Public Accountant

33 ANAH TEMPLE (â'nâ).....Bangor, Maine

39 Columbia Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, January, May, September and December,

Dispensation June 16, 1921

Charter June 15, 1922

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,753

Potentate—Sheldon F. Goldthwait.....Area Code 207, 288-3314

P.O. Box 400, Bar Harbor, Maine 04609

Chief Rabban—Henry P. Cushman....Area Code 207, 942-4801

25 Broad St., Bangor, Maine 04401

Recorder—Frederic E. Perkins.....Area Code 207, 942-2254

39 Columbia St., Bangor, Maine 04401

REPRESENTATIVES

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25 Broad St., Bangor, Maine 04401

Banking

Roy U. Sinclair (A.R.).....Area Code 207, 487-2263

16 Pleasant St., Pittsfield, Maine 04967

Chairman of Maine Employment Security Comm.

Frederic E. Perkins (Rec.).....Area Code 207, 942-2254

39 Columbia St., Bangor, Maine 04401

Retired

34 ANEZEH TEMPLE (â nê'zě)... Mexico City, Mexico
Plaza Santos Degollado 10-204
Mexico 1, D.F.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Tuesdays of Jan., Feb., May,
August and November.

Dispensation December 1, 1906 Charter May 8, 1907

Membership January 1, 1964, 608

Potentate—J. R. (Tom) Tomlinson.....Telephone 21-59-52
Av. Juarez 42-1101, Edif. "B", Mexico 1, D.F.

Chief Rabban—Roderick H. Tofflemire.....Telephone 20-28-75
Sierra Gorda 265, Mexico 10, D.F.

Recorder—Armand R. Alcazar.....Telephone 21-73-48
Plaza Santos Degollado 10-204, Mexico 1, D.F.

REPRESENTATIVES

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Paseo de la Reforma 27-215, Mexico 1, Mexico
and

464 Mountain Home Road, Woodside, Calif.
Area Code 415, UL 1-0909

(Send original correspondence to Calif. address, with copy to
Mexico)

Retired

Emilio D'Acosta (*Emeritus*) (P.P.).....Telephone 20-53-61
Moliere 17—Apt. 9, Mexico 5, D.F.

Chairman of the Board of Directors, Productos Mexalite

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Representative, Oil Field Equipment

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Sierra Gorda 265, Mexico 10, D.F.

Executive

J. Weldon Thomas (A.R.).....Telephone 20-17-70
Reforma 2570-81, Mexico 10, D.F.

Retired

35 ANSAR TEMPLE (ân'sâr) Springfield, Illinois
 420 South Sixth Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Friday in January, March, April,
 May, September, October, November.

Dispensation May 14, 1914 Charter July 13, 1915

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,201

Potentate—G. Wilbur Bell Area Code 217, 458-2901

Chandlerville, Illinois 62627

Chief Rabban—William R. Schnirring, Jr.

Area Code 217, 528-8451

918 East Enos Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62703

Recorder—Alfred F. Becker Area Code 217, 544-1789

420 South Sixth Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701

REPRESENTATIVES

G. Wilbur Bell (P) Area Code 217, 458-2901

Chandlerville, Illinois 62627

Grain Dealer and Farmer

William R. Schnirring, Jr. (C.R.) . . . Area Code 217, 528-8451

918 East Enos Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62703

Wholesale Electrical Supplies

Joseph B. Dudley (A.R.) Area Code 217, 544-3474

P.O. Box 697, Springfield, Illinois 62705

Manager, Western Waterproofing Company

Charles W. Brosch, Jr. (H.P. & P.) . . . Area Code 217, 544-4891

1301 Dial Court, Springfield, Illinois 62704

Manager, Springfield Coca Cola Bottling Company

36 ANTIOCH TEMPLE (ăn'tī ōk) Dayton, Ohio

107 E. First St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 4th Monday of January, April, Sept.
 and November and on call of Potentate.

Dispensation June 9, 1897 Charter June 14, 1898

Membership January 1, 1964, 7,412

Potentate—E. Raymond Arn Area Code 513, 293-2164

4600 S. Dixie Highway, Dayton, Ohio 45439

Chief Rabban—Kenneth D. Arn, M.D. . . Area Code 513, 299-3541

55 Park Avenue, Dayton, Ohio 45419

Recorder—Loy D. Johnston Area Code 513, 461-3904

107 E. First Street, Dayton, Ohio 45402

REPRESENTATIVES

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President, Film Associates, Inc.

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55 Park Avenue, Dayton, Ohio 45419

Medical Doctor

Loy D. Johnston (Rec.) Area Code 513, 461-3904

107 E. First Street, Dayton, Ohio 45402

Recorder

Roland E. St. John (P.P.) Area Code 513, 263-2601

2003 N. Western Avenue, Dayton, Ohio 45426

Pres.-General Mgr., St. John Transportation Co.

37 ARAB TEMPLE (ă'răb).....Topeka, Kansas
621 Jackson St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Monday of each month except June, July and August.

Dispensation July 16, 1931 Charter July 28, 1932

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,951

Potentate—Roy W. Jaquith.....Area Code 913, CE 2-3116
1634 Jewell, Topeka, Kansas 66604

Chief Rabban—John M. Koger.....Area Code 913, CR 2-1424
1514 Glendale Drive, Topeka, Kansas 66604

Recorder—J. Lewis Coffelt.....Area Code 913, CE 4-2012
621 Jackson, Topeka, Kansas 66603

REPRESENTATIVES

Roy W. Jaquith (P.).....Area Code 913, CE 2-3116
1634 Jewell, Topeka, Kansas 66604
Pharmacist

L. Keith Murry.....Area Code 913, CE 3-8449
1281 High Street, Topeka, Kansas 66604

Lloyd E. Cobb.....Area Code 316, DI 2-5738
630 Walnut, Emporia, Kansas 66801
Salesman, National Biscuit Co.

J. Lewis Coffelt (Rec.).....Area Code 913, CE 4-2012
621 Jackson, Topeka, Kansas 66603
Recorder

38 ARABIA TEMPLE (ă rā'bīā).....Houston, Texas
1322 Prairie Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Monday each month, except June, July and August.

Charter July 14, 1915

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,618

Potentate—Paul A. Nelson.....Area Code 713, RI 7-3720
P.O. Box 14482, Houston, Texas 77021

Chief Rabban—Miles Strickland.....Area Code 713, GL 3-5425
P.O. Box 9728, Houston, Texas 77015

Recorder—Glen M. Severs.....Area Code 713, CA 7-0243
P.O. Box 52036, Houston, Texas 77052

REPRESENTATIVES

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P.O. Box 14482, Houston, Texas 77021
Owner, Paul Nelson Lumber Co.

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P.O. Box 9728, Houston, Texas 77015
President, First State Bank of Greens Bayou

Lloyd L. Brightman (A.R.).....Area Code 713, MO 5-3743
3414 Broadmead, Houston, Texas 77025
Dist. Mgr., Kaiser Refractories

Carl T. Denson, Jr. (P.P.).....Area Code 713, HO 8-2773
1317 Bridle Spur, Houston, Texas 77055
Attorney at Law

39 ARARAT TEMPLE (ă'rá răt) **Kansas City, Missouri**
300 West 11th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday of each month,
except July and August.

Dispensation December 1, 1887 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 7,745

Potentate—W. Baker BrowningArea Code 816, VI 2-8888
300 West 11th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64105

Chief Rabban—Edward L. BittnerArea Code 816, BA 1-2800
9717 Overbrook Road, Leawood, Kansas 66206

Recorder—Guy G. Manlove, Jr.Area Code 816, VI 2-8888
300 West 11th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64105

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Area Code 312, 726-4700
323 N. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60601

Imperial Recorder

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Edward L. Bittner (C.R.)Area Code 816, BA 1-2800
9717 Overbrook Road, Leawood, Kansas 66206

Banker

Harry C. Newcomer, Jr. (A.R.)Area Code 816, LO 1-0024
1331 Brush Creek, Kansas City, Missouri 64110

Funeral Director

Richard W. Farris (O.G.)HA 1-1751
4104 West 93rd Street, Leawood, Kansas

40 BAGDAD TEMPLE (băg'dăd)**Butte, Montana**
314 W. Park Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Wednesday of each month,
except June, July and August.

Dispensation January 24, 1911 Charter July 12, 1911

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,584

Potentate—Alfred O. OlsenArea Code 406, 792-1388
40 North Lake Drive, Butte Montana 59701

Chief Rabban—A. Kendrick SmithArea Code 406, 792-5916
1025 W. Broadway, Butte, Montana 59701

Recorder—Walter S. JorgensenArea Code 406, 723-3601
314 West Park Street, Butte, Montana 59701

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Assistant Vendor, Montana Liquor Control Board Store

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Attorney

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405 West Granite St., Butte, Montana 59701

Accountant

E. George CraineArea Code 406, 792-1890
1839 Phillips Ave., Butte, Montana 59701

Retired Stationary Engineer

41 BAHIA TEMPLE (bâ hē'â).....Orlando, Florida

60 West Gore Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Thursday of each month.

Dispensation June 30, 1954

Charter July 14, 1955

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,612

Potentate—Harold H. Kastner.....Area Code 305, GA 3-3307

P.O. Box 2508, Orlando, Florida 32802

Chief Rabban—Fred B. Turner.....Area Code 305, 425-3931

641 Ridgewood Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32803

Recorder—Geo. H. Cochrane.....Area Code 305, 424-4027

P.O. Box 2508, Orlando, Florida 32802

REPRESENTATIVES

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Fred B. Turner (C.R.).....Area Code 305, 425-3931

641 Ridgewood Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32803

Station Manager, National Airlines

J. D. Hill (P.P.).....CY 4-1524

P.O. Box 968, Winter Haven, Florida 33881

Citrus and Real Estate

Charles V. Snapp, Jr. (P.P.).....GA 3-6469

1344 W. Concord Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32805

*Building Contractor***42 BALLUT ABYAD TEMPLE (bāl'loot āb'y ād)****Albuquerque, N.M.**

625 Central Avenue, N.W.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Monday each month, except
June, July and August.

Dispensation June 11, 1887

Charter June 17, 1889

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,631

Potentate—Everett M. Grantham.....Area Code 505, 243-3525

P.O. Box 1031, Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87103

Chief Rabban—Paul C. Sackett.....Area Code 505, 265-7656

P.O. Box 63, Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87103

Recorder—J. Mitchell Dickens.....Area Code 505, 247-0281

P.O. Box 1324, Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87103

REPRESENTATIVESCharles H. Lembke (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)...Area Code 505, 243-7808

401 Laguna Blvd. S.W., Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87104

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P.O. Box 1031, Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87103

Attorney

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P.O. Box 63, Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87103

President, Paul C. Sackett & Sons, Inc. (Gen. Ins.)

A. Earl Bullis.....Area Code 505, 898-0319

1037 Western Meadows Ct. N.W., Albuquerque, N. Mex. 87114

Public Relations Manager, Galles Motor Co.

Harry R. Eaves.....Area Code 505, 393-5374

710 Luna, Hobbs, N. Mex. 88240

Owner, Oil Well Equipment Service

43 BEDOUIN TEMPLE (bě'doo in) Muskogee, Oklahoma

201 South 6th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month except July and August.

Dispensation July 12, 1911

Charter May 7, 1912

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,949

Potentate—E. E. (Bob) Easton.....Area Code 918, MU 7-7033
1320 Houston Street, Muskogee, Okla. 74401*Chief Rabban*—Eddie Parker.....Area Code 918, MU 2-9208
404 Anthony Street, Muskogee, Okla. 74401*Recorder*—Leigh H. Hammond.....Area Code 918, MU 2-2761
P.O. Box 1478, Muskogee, Okla. 74402**REPRESENTATIVES**E. E. (Bob) Easton (P.).....Area Code 918, MU 7-7033
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531 Anthony Street, Muskogee, Okla. 74401*Banker***44 BEKTASH TEMPLE (běk'tāsh).....Concord, N.H.**

17 Warren Street

Dates of Stated Meetings on call of the Potentate.

Dispensation February 14, 1905

Charter June 21, 1905

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,885

Potentate—William B. Artz.....Area Code 603, 436-3834
Atlantic Avenue, North Hampton, N.H. 02148*Chief Rabban*—Charles H. Gay.....Area Code 603, 432-3434
112 East Broadway, Derry, N.H. 03038*Recorder*—Nick A. Karagianis.....Area Code 603, 225-5372
17 Warren Street, Concord, N.H. 03301**REPRESENTATIVES**F. Lawrence Bulfinch, (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)

Area Code 603, 625-5273

74 West Merrimack St., Manchester, N.H. 03103

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Atlantic Avenue, North Hampton, N.H. 02148*Manager, Eastern Auto Parts*Charles H. Gay (C.R.).....Area Code 603, 432-3434
112 East Broadway, Derry, N.H. 03038*Retired*Ralph W. Smith (A.R.).....Area Code 603, 898-2422
P.O. Box 93, Salem Depot, N.H. 03079*Retired*Alexander J. LeLoup.....Area Code 603, 542-5443
P.O. Box 285, Claremont, N.H. 03743*Retired*

45 BEN ALI TEMPLE (běn â'lě) Sacramento, Calif.

Room 7, Hotel Senator, 12th and L Streets

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Tuesday each month except July and August.

Dispensation June 15, 1922 Charter June 7, 1923

Membership January 1, 1964, 9,007

Potentate—Ward R. Sterling Area Code 916, 448-9147
2606 J Street, Sacramento, Calif. 95816

Chief Rabban—John N. Clark Area Code 916, 441-5392
P.O. Box 551, Sacramento, Calif. 95803

Recorder—Harlie K. Valentine Area Code 916, 443-1983
Rm. 7 Hotel Senator, Sacramento, Calif. 95814

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1770 7th Ave., Sacramento, Calif. 95818
City Assessor

Charles E. Desenfants (P.P.) Area Code 916, 443-4737
4233 U St., Sacramento, Calif. 95817
Service Station Owner

46 BEN HUR TEMPLE (běn hěr) Austin, Texas

207 West 18th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday each month.

Dispensation June 2, 1891 Charter August 16, 1892

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,214

Potentate—Marshall V. Turner Area Code 512, GR 2-7247
P.O. Box 977, Austin, Texas 78765

Chief Rabban—B. Rex Shields Area Code 512, GR 2-2687
3701 River Road, Austin, Texas 78703

Recorder—J. T. Browning Area Code 512, GR 2-7247
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Full Time Recorder

J. Carroll Hinsley (P.P.) Area Code 512, GR 8-1696
630 Littlefield Bldg., Austin, Texas 78701
Attorney

47 BENI KEDEM TEMPLE (bē'nī kā'dēm)**Charleston, W. Va.**

406 Capitol Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Thursday of each month.

Dispensation June 24, 1896

Charter June 9, 1897

Membership January 1, 1964, 7,448

Acting Potentate and Chief Rabban—Harry B. Lambert

.....Area Code 304, 342-4101

833 Spring Road, Charleston, W.Va. 25314

Recorder—Neil W. MacDermid.....Area Code 304, 343-9405

P.O. Box 2589, Charleston, W.Va. 25329

REPRESENTATIVESGuy W. Van Horn (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)...Area Code 304, 342-7517

1535 Lee Street, Charleston, W.Va. 25311

*Banker*Virgil F. Frizzell (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)...Area Code 304, 342-8239

1601 Virginia St. E., Charleston, W.Va. 25311

Federal Clerk

Graves H. Trumbo (A.R.).....Area Code 304,

1025 Cleveland Avenue, Charleston, W.Va. 25302

Harry B. Lambert (C.R.).....Area Code 304, 342-4101

833 Spring Road, Charleston, W.Va. 25314

Lawyer

Dewey E. S. Kuhns (P.P.).....Area Code 304, 346-5402

P.O. Box 1707, Charleston, W.Va. 25326

*Sheriff***48 BOUMI TEMPLE (boo'mē).....Baltimore, Maryland**

4900 North Charles Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Monthly, at call of Potentate.

Dispensation March 31, 1884

Charter June 4, 1884

Membership January 1, 1964, 6,976

Potentate—George J. Murphy.....Area Code 301, TU 9-6772

1526 Kennewick Road, Baltimore, Md. 21218

Chief Rabban—George A. Bratt, Jr....Area Code 301, VA 5-4343

605 St. Francis Road, Baltimore, Md. 21204

Recorder—C. Franklin Rambo.....Area Code 301, ID 5-1600

4900 N. Charles Street, Baltimore, Md. 21210

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1526 Kennewick Road, Baltimore, Md. 21218

Chief Inspector, Baltimore Police Dept.

George A. Bratt, Jr. (C.R.).....Area Code 301, VA 5-4343

605 St. Francis Road, Baltimore, Md. 21204

Merchant

G. Maxwell Armor, Jr. (A.R.).....Area Code 301, 435-1377

118 St. Dunstons Road, Baltimore Md. 21212

Staff Supervisor

Robert A. Phelps (H.P.&P.).....Area Code 301, RI 7-5189

220 Gralan Road, Baltimore, Md. 21228

Manufacturer

49 CAIRO TEMPLE (kǐ'rō) Rutland, Vermont

Masonic Temple, 51 Washington St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Saturday, January, May, August
and second Saturday, December.

Charter July 9, 1903

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,092

Potentate—Peter Val Preda Area Code 802, 773-2581
26 Marble Ave., Rutland, Vermont 05701

Chief Rabban—J. Malcolm Williams . . . Area Code 802, 287-5700
3 Main St., Poultney, Vermont 05764

Recorder—Edward S. Pike Area Code 802, 773-2768
P.O. Box 774, Rutland, Vermont 05702

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Peter Val Preda (P.) Area Code 802, 773-2581
26 Marble Ave., Rutland, Vermont 05701

Automobile Dealer

J. Malcolm Williams (C.R.) Area Code 802, 287-5700
3 Main St., Poultney, Vermont 05764

Attorney

Hugo W. Melen (A.R.) Area Code 802, 773-8523
228 Church St., Rutland, Vermont 05701

Momument Manufacturer

Edward S. Pike (Rec.) Area Code 802, 773-2768
P.O. Box 774, Rutland, Vermont 05702

Insurance Agent

50 CALAM TEMPLE (kâ'lâm) Lewiston, Idaho

855 Main Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Quarterly on call of the Potentate.

Dispensation May 8, 1907 Charter July 15, 1908

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,050

Potentate—J. Harley Ferris Area Code 208, SH 3-2224
1009 3rd Street, Lewiston, Idaho 83501

Chief Rabban—Alton T. Kauffman . . . Area Code 208, SH 3-4808
1002 15th Ave., Lewiston, Idaho 83501

Recorder—Jerrold G. Dahlgren Area Code 208, SH 3-7301
855 Main Street, Lewiston, Idaho 83501

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1009 3rd Street, Lewiston, Idaho 83501

Newspaper Office Mgr.

Alton T. Kauffman (C.R.) Area Code 208, SH 3-4808
1002 15th Ave., Lewiston, Idaho 83501

Lumberman

Glenn W. Henderson Area Code 208, WA 4-5584
Box 120, Craigmont, Idaho 83523

Farmer

Elmer E. Nelson Area Code 208, TU 3-6821
217 North Polk, Moscow, Idaho 83843

Banker

51 CRESCENT TEMPLE (krěs'sěnt) **Trenton, New Jersey**

N. Clinton Ave. & Wall St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 18, March 14, June 5, Dec. 5th.

Dispensation July 14, 1904 Charter June 21, 1905

Membership January 1, 1964, 11,252

Potentate—Nelson B. Hansbury, Jr. Area Code 609, OW 5-6420

Broad St. National Bank Bldg., Trenton, N.J. 08608

Chief Rabban—Edmund D. Bowman. . . Area Code 609, UL 8-4100

601 Haddon Ave., Collingswood, N.J. 08108

Recorder—Earl E. Jeffries (P.P.) Area Code 609, 392-4179

P.O. Box 1506, Trenton, N.J. 08607

REPRESENTATIVESGeorge E. Stringfellow (*Ad Vitam and Emeritus*) (★★★★★)

Area Code 201, OR 4-6161

75 Prospect St., East Orange, N.J. 08607

*Retired*Arthur E. Armitage, Sr. (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)

Area Code 609, UL 4-6500

611 Haddon Ave., Collingswood, N.J. 08108

*President, Arthur E. Armitage Agency*Edward J. Scudder (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 609, EX 4-5842

Canal and Pearl Sts., Trenton, N.J. 08609

Owner, Edward J. Scudder Foundry & Machine Co.

Nelson B. Hansbury, Jr. (P.) Area Code 609, OW 5-6420

Broad St. National Bank Bldg., Trenton, N.J. 08608

Gen'l. Agt., Massachusetts Protective Asso., Inc.

Edmund D. Bowman (C.R.) Area Code 609, UL 8-4100

601 Haddon Ave., Collingswood, N.J. 08108

Certified Public Accountant

Arthur E. Armitage, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 609, UL 4-6500

611 Haddon Ave., Collingswood, N.J. 08108

Sec'ty-Areas., Arthur E. Armitage Agency

Walter S. Jeffries, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 609, 344-8750

Guaranty Trust Bldg., Atlantic City, N.J.

Counsellor-At-Law

52 CYPRUS TEMPLE (sī'prūs) Albany, New York

74 Chapel Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, upon call of Potentate.

Dispensation February 6, 1877 Charter February 6, 1877

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,104

Potentate—Robert W. Gale Area Code 518, HO 2-2959
Loudon Parkway, Loudonville, N.Y. 12211

Chief Rabban—Erwin W. Milstrey, Sr. Telephone EX 3-9513
200 Lansing Rd., S., Schenectady, N.Y. 12304

Recorder—Rollin H. Thomas Area Code 518, HE 4-4975
74 Chapel Street, Albany, N.Y. 12207

REPRESENTATIVES

Fred A. Nicholson (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 518, IV 2-3255
647 Western Ave., Albany, N.Y. 12203

Retired

Robert W. Gale (P.) Area Code 518, HO 2-2959
Loudon Parkway, Loudonville, N.Y. 12211

Doctor of Dental Surgery

Erwin W. Milstrey, Sr. (C.R.) Telephone EX 3-9513
200 Lansing Rd., S., Schenectady, N.Y. 12304

Contractor

Randall W. Vaughn Telephone HE 9-2139
276 Kenwood Ave., Elsmere, N.Y. 12054

Retired

Arthur L. Royael Telephone FE 8-4900
R.F.D. No. 1-9W Kingston, N.Y. 12401

Motel Owner

53 DAMASCUS TEMPLE (dă mäs'cūs) . . . Rochester, N.Y.

875 Main Street East

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Wednesday each month except
July and August.

Dispensation February 8, 1875 Charter June 6, 1875

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,166

Potentate—W. Marvin Rowe Area Code 716, BA 5-2016
123 East Avenue, Rochester, N.Y. 14604

Chief Rabban—Harley C. Smith Area Code 716, DU 1-2351
85 Kirk Drive, Rochester, N.Y. 14610

Recorder—John W. Cummings Area Code 716, GR 3-3644
875 Main St., East, Rochester, N.Y. 14605

REPRESENTATIVES

A. Elmer Raithel (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 716, HA 6-3320
334 East Avenue, Rochester, N.Y. 14604

Tire Business

W. Marvin Rowe (P.) Area Code 716, BA 5-2016
123 East Avenue, Rochester, N.Y. 14604

Broker

Harley C. Smith (C.R.) Area Code 716, DU 1-2351
85 Kirk Drive, Rochester, N.Y. 14610

Retired

Charles B. Benedict Area Code 716, CO 6-6644
33 Scholfield Road, Rochester, N.Y. 14617

Building Construction

O. Deane Erwood Area Code 716, CO 6-5240
356 Somershire Dr., Rochester, N.Y. 14617

Accountant

54 EGYPT TEMPLE (ē'jīpt) Tampa, Florida

402 South Boulevard

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month except June, July, and August.

Dispensation June 26, 1917 Charter June 6, 1918

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,130

Potentate—R. S. Lang Area Code 813, 835-1441

P.O. Box 10415, Tampa, Florida 33609

Chief Rabban—W. Bruce Kerr Area Code 813, 229-1280

960 Twiggs St., Tampa, Florida 33602

Recorder—D. W. McKay Area Code 813, 253-3870

P.O. Box 956, Tampa, Florida 33601

REPRESENTATIVES

R. S. Lang, (P.) Area Code 813, 835-1441

P.O. Box 10415, Tampa, Florida 33609

Contractor (Swimming Pools)

W. Bruce Kerr (C.R.) Area Code 813, 229-1280

960 Twiggs St., Tampa, Florida 33602

Distributor (Wells & Irrigation Equip.)

Raleigh W. Milian (P.P.) Area Code 813, 229-9736

309 W. Buffalo Ave., Tampa, Florida 33603

Restaurant Operator

Robert R. Hicks Area Code 813, 876-7465

114 S. Gunlock, Tampa, Florida 33609

*Sports Writer, Tampa Morning Tribune***55 EL BEKAL TEMPLE (ēl bē kāl') . . . Long Beach, Calif.**

801 Elm Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Monday in January, April, July and October.

Dispensation July 12, 1951 Charter June 20, 1952

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,749

Potentate—Roy T. Reynolds Area Code 213, 569-7990

9707 Kauffman Avenue, South Gate, Calif. 90281

Chief Rabban—Leroy H. Crager Area Code 213, 434-8484

2315 East Anaheim, Long Beach, Calif. 90804

Recorder—H. C. "Hal" LeManquais . . . Area Code 213, 432-3407

801 Elm Avenue, Long Beach, Calif. 90813

REPRESENTATIVES

Roy T. Reynolds (P.) Area Code 213, 569-7990

9707 Kauffman Avenue, South Gate, Calif. 90281

Owner, Paper Mill Supply Co.

Leroy H. Crager (C.R.) Area Code 213, 434-8484

2315 East Anaheim, Long Beach, Calif. 90804

Owner, Crager Iron Works

H. C. "Hal" LeManquais (Rec.) Area Code 213, 432-3407

801 Elm Avenue, Long Beach, Calif. 90813

Recorder, El Bekal Temple

Roy A. Hopkins (A.R.) Area Code 213, 437-2811

555 East 1st Street, Long Beach, Calif. 90802

56 ELF KHURAFEH TEMPLE (ělf koorâ'fě)

Saginaw, Mich.

211 N. Washington Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month.

Dispensation June 12, 1906

Charter May 8, 1907

Membership, January 1, 1964, 3,829

Potentate—Dale W. Williams,Area Code 313, OL 3-2440
7389 Lapeer Road, Davison, Mich. 48423

Chief Rabban—Charles A. McLeod, Jr. Area Code 517, PL 5-3458
2064 E. Genesee Avenue, Saginaw, Mich. 48601

Recorder—Sid T. Atkins.Area Code 517, PL 2-8612
211 North Washington Avenue, Saginaw, Mich. 48607

REPRESENTATIVES

Dale W. Williams (P.)Area Code 313, OL 3-2440
7389 Lapeer Road, Davison, Mich. 48423
Owner, Williams Gun Shop, Inc.

Charles A. McLeod, Jr. (C.R.)Area Code 517, PL 5-3458
2064 E. Genesee Avenue, Saginaw, Mich. 48601
Vice-Pres., Saginaw Sheet Metal Parts Corp.

Russell H. Smith (A.R.)Area Code 517, TW 5-5408
4737 Maplewood Drive, Bay City, Mich. 48707
Vice-Pres., Bay City Bank

Marc Stern (P.P.)Area Code 313, CE 3-5619
1213 Beard Street, Flint, Mich. 48500
Retired Executive

57 EL HASA TEMPLE (ěl há'sá)Ashland, Kentucky

1500 Central Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Monday each month.

Dispensation March 3, 1906

Charter June 12, 1906

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,432

Potentate—Bill E. Barnett.Area Code 606, GE 7-6516
417 Third Street, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501

Chief Rabban—Douglas P. Roberts.Area Code 606, 324-9730
1805 Englewood Ave., Ashland, Kentucky 41101

Recorder—Warner W. Fell.Area Code 606, 324-8527
P.O. Box 1267, Ashland, Kentucky 41101

REPRESENTATIVES

Bill E. Barnett (P.)Area Code 606, GE 7-6516
417 Third Street, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501
Division Personnel Supervisor, Kentucky Power Co.

Douglas P. Roberts (C.R.)Area Code 606, 324-9730
1805 Englewood Ave., Ashland, Kentucky 41101
Retail Furniture Store

Delbert Rowe.Area Code 606, 324-6905
206 Kitchen Building, Ashland, Kentucky 41101
C.P.A.

Edward Hubbs.Area Code 606, 836-6764
121 Bobolink Road (Kenwood), Russell, Kentucky 41169
Construction Engineer

58 EL JEBEL TEMPLE (ēl jē'bēl) Denver, Colorado

1614 Welton Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Monday of each month, except June, July and August.

Dispensation December 1, 1887 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,810

Potentate—Richard H. Martin Area Code 303, 455-9544

1614 Welton Street, Room 307, Denver, Colorado 80202

Chief Rabban—Charles T. Gore Area Code 303, 322-9340

1223 Race Street, Apt. 901, Denver, Colorado 80206

Recorder—Norman A. Dunham Area Code 303, 255-2212

1614 Welton Street, Room 307, Denver, Colorado 80202

REPRESENTATIVESLewis S. Parsons (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 303, 255-4821

855 Lincoln Street, Denver, Colorado 80203

Publisher

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1614 Welton Street, Room 307, Denver, Colorado 80202

Advertising Counselor

Charles T. Gore (C.R.) Area Code 303, 322-9340

1223 Race Street, Apt. 901, Denver, Colorado 80206

Real Estate

Arthur W. Hiner, Jr. (A.R.) Area Code 303, 292-3100

2625 South Colorado Blvd., Denver, Colorado 80222

President, Savings and Loan

Mortie E. Blunn (H.P. & P.) Area Code 303, 244-0915

1645 Court Place, Denver, Colo. 80202

*Investments***59 EL KAHIR TEMPLE (ēl kā'heer) Cedar Rapids, Iowa**

125 5th St., S.E.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 8; April 8; Sept. 9, Nov. 11, 1964.

Dispensation February 9, 1886 Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,120

Potentate—T. Hubert De Wees Area Code 319, 362-1108

Windhaven, R.R. No. 1, Marion, Iowa 52405

Chief Rabban—Donald J. Fishel Area Code 319, 365-6963

345—30th Street S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52403

Recorder—Ed. C. Rudin (P.P.) Area Code 319, 364-8318

P. O. Box 28, Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52402

REPRESENTATIVESMalcolm M. Thompson (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)

Area Code 319, 362-2861

115 Thompson Drive S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52403

Retired

T. Hubert De Wees (P.) Area Code 319, 362-1108

Windhaven R.R. No. 1, Marion, Ia. 52405

President, Hawkeye Motor Express

Donald J. Fishel (C.R.) Area Code 319, 365-6963

345—30th Street S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52403

Owner, Donald J. Fishel Real Estate Co.

Richard F. Brisbin (A.R.) Area Code 319, 363-8838

R.R. No. 2, Mt. Vernon, Iowa 52314

Vice Pres. & Engineer-Highway Equip. Co.

Lawrence V. Sibert Area Code 319, 338-8476

1639 Morningside Dr., Iowa City, Iowa 52240

Postal Clerk

60 EL KALAH TEMPLE (ěl kāl'á) Salt Lake City, Utah
650 E. South Temple Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Wednesday, except June, July and August.

Dispensation January 8, 1890 Charter August 16, 1892
Membership January 1, 1964, 2,759

Potentate—Elmer A. Vail.....Area Code 801, EM 3-7391
1056 South 5th East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84105

Chief Rabban—Maurice P. Greffoz.....Area Code 801, 355-8967
Apt. 9, 511 First Avenue, Salt Lake City, Utah 84103

Recorder—Julius S. Daniels.....Area Code 801, EM 4-4421
650 East South Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah 84102

REPRESENTATIVES

Lincoln G. Kelly (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)...Area Code 801, DA 8-0141
605 Walker Bank Building, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

Partner, Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery—C.P.A.

Elmer A. Vail (P.).....Area Code 801, EM 3-7391
1056 South 5th East, Salt Lake City, Utah 84105

Engineer, Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Co.

Maurice P. Greffoz (C.R.).....Area Code 801, 355-8967
Apt. 9, 511 First Avenue, Salt Lake City, Utah 84103

Secretary, Greater Mountain Chemical Company

Gail F. Bywater (A.R.).....Area Code 801, EL 5-5717
831 East 1st South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84102

Owner, Gail F. Bywater Automotive Service

C. Leander Prisk.....Area Code 801, HU 5-1881
2066 Yale Avenue, Salt Lake City, Utah 84108

Pres.-Gen'l Mgr., Medical Arts and Prescription Pharmacies

61 EL KARUBAH TEMPLE (ěl kâ roo'bâ) Shreveport, La.
"Shrine Center," South Lakeshore Drive

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Tuesday each month except June, July and August.

Dispensation May 13, 1913 Charter May 13, 1914
Membership January 1, 1964, 4,968

Potentate—Fred W. Hoffmann.....Area Code 318, ME 1-2401
P.O. Box 6006, Shreveport, Louisiana 71106

Chief Rabban—M. A. Ehrhardt.....Area Code 318, UN 1-2632
379 Carrollton, Shreveport, Louisiana 71105

Recorder—W. J. Branum.....Area Code 318, ME 1-1594
P.O. Box 1824, Shreveport, Louisiana 71102

REPRESENTATIVES

John A. Walden (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)....Area Code 318, 868-7400
7005 Gilbert Drive, Shreveport, Louisiana, 71106

Retired Banker

Fred W. Hoffmann (P.).....Area Code 218, ME 1-2401
P.O. Box 6006, Shreveport, La. 71106

Chief Accountant, United Gas Corp.

M. A. Ehrhardt (C.R.).....Area Code 318, UN 1-2632
379 Carrollton, Shreveport, Louisiana 71105

Owner, Poultry and Produce Company

Wayne W. Gray (*Past Imp. Chap.*)...Area Code 318, FA 3-8292
1901 Milton Street, Monroe, Louisiana 71204

Pastor, Covenant Presbyterian Church

E. D. (Ed) Clark (P.P.).....Area Code 318, 868-2212
6109 Willard, Shreveport, Louisiana 71106

Engineer, Southern Bell Telephone Company

62 EL KATIF TEMPLE (ěl kâ tēf')Spokane, Wash.

W. 1108 Riverside Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Wednesday each month (except July and August)

Dispensation June 10, 1890

Charter June 9, 1891

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,307

Potentate—Elmer C. MorlanArea Code 509, MA 4-4283

E. 726 Sprague Ave., Spokane, Wash. 99202

Chief Rabban—Arnold E. CarleArea Code 509, JA 5-5326

393 Park Avenue, Walla Walla, Wash. 99362

Recorder—George H. KelloggArea Code 509, MA 4-2762

W. 1108 Riverside Ave., Spokane, Wash. 99201

REPRESENTATIVES

Elmer C. Morlan (P.)Area Code 509, MA 4-4283

E. 726 Sprague Ave., Spokane, Wash. 99202

Owner, Morlan Tire Co.

Arnold E. Carle (C.R.)Area Code 509, JA 5-5326

393 Park Ave., Walla Walla, Wash. 99362

Retired

Roy J. Johnson (A.R.)Area Code 509, FA 5-2722

5003 Northwest Blvd., Spokane, Wash. 99205

Retired

Rudy E. VidaArea Code 509, RI 7-2788

402 W. 17th Ave., Spokane, Wash. 99203

*Mgr., Hyde Secretarial Service***63 EL KORAH TEMPLE (ěl kō'râ)Boise, Idaho**

1118 Idaho St.

Dates of Stated Meetings—Second Wednesday except July and August.

Dispensation June 24, 1896

Charter June 14, 1898

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,745

Potentate—Herbert H. EberleArea Code 208, 342-8567

P.O. Box 2302, Boise, Idaho 83701

Chief Rabban—Gayle L. McAteeArea Code 208, 343-1555

320 S. Orchard, Boise, Idaho 83705

Recorder—Newton R. NicholsArea Code 208, 343-0571

P.O. Box 1127, Boise, Idaho 83701

REPRESENTATIVESJ. Harry Hopffgarten (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) Area Code 208, 343-5296

1115 Boise Ave., Boise, Idaho 83706

Manager, Advertising Sign Co.

Herbert H. Eberle (P.)Area Code 208, 342-8567

P.O. Box 2302, Boise, Idaho 83701

Secretary of Grand Lodge

Gayle L. McAtee (C.R.)Area Code 208, 343-1555

320 S. Orchard, Boise, Idaho 83705

Asst. Vice Pres., First Security Bank of Idaho

Wallace A. WilcoxArea Code 208,

1217 Garfield, Boise, Idaho

Stanley J. JonesArea Code 208, 587-5202

1025 Gridley Dr., Mountain Home, Idaho 83647

Retired

64 EL MAIDA TEMPLE (ěl mĩ'dâ) **El Paso, Texas**
126 N. Campbell Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Fourth Tuesday of each month, (except June, July, August).

Dispensation May 8, 1907 Charter June 9, 1909

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,122

Potentate—Frankie L. Cochran.....Area Code 901, EM 2-2355
P.O. Box 3906, Odessa, Texas

Chief Rabban—Franklin C. Quinn....Area Code 915, LO 5-5634
3427 McKinley Ave., El Paso, Texas

Recorder—W. Fred Casey.....Area Code 915, 532-6651
126 N. Campbell Street, El Paso, Texas 79901

REPRESENTATIVES

Frankie L. Cochran (P.).....Area Code 915, EM 2-2355
P.O. Box 3906, Odessa, Texas

Real Estate & Insurance

Henry L. Taylor (H.P. & P.).....Area Code 915, 565-1346
4523 Frankfort, El Paso, Texas

Franklin C. Quinn (C.R.).....Area Code 915, LO 5-5634
3427 McKinley Ave., El Paso, Texas 79930

Sales Director, El Paso Electric Co.

W. Fred Casey (Rec.).....Area Code 915, 566-3604
2813 Wheeling Avenue, El Paso, Texas

65 EL MINA TEMPLE (ěl mē'nâ).....**Galveston, Texas**
2328 Broadway

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Tuesday each month.

Charter June 11, 1902

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,618

Potentate—Archie M. Crow Jr.Area Code 713, SO 5-5424
4005 Avenue S½, Galveston, Texas 77550

Chief Rabban—Henry G. Malmgren..Area Code 713, YU 2-6893
P.O. Box 286, Port Arthur, Texas

Recorder—Eugene Jackson.....Area Code 713, SO 3-8541
2328 Broadway, Galveston, Texas 77550

REPRESENTATIVES

Munger T. Ball (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)..Area Code 713, YU 3-6666
P.O. Box 1500, Port Arthur, Texas

Towing Service

Archie M. Crow, Jr. (P.).....Area Code 713, SO 5-5424
4005 Avenue S½, Galveston, Texas 77550

Restaurateur

Henry G. Malmgren (C.R.).....Area Code 713, YU 2-6893
P.O. Box 286, Port Arthur, Texas

Contractor

O. C. Norris, (A.R.).....Area Code 713, SO 5-2680
4728 Woodrow, Galveston, Texas

Personnel Director

John H. Terry (P.P.).....Area Code 713, TE 2-2843
P.O. Box 1601, Beaumont, Texas

Manager, Geo. A. Hormel Co.

66 EL RIAD TEMPLE (ēl rē'ād) Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

520 South First Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, April 8, July 8, October 14.

Dispensation April 3, 1888 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,554

Potentate—Albert E. Egger. Area Code 605, 336-2490

P.O. Box 495, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. 57101

Chief Rabban—Forrest W. Conger. . . . Area Code 605, 336-3620

P.O. Box 868, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. 57101

Recorder—George W. Elmen. Area Code 605, 336-2545

P.O. Box 883, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. 57101

REPRESENTATIVES

Albert E. Egger (P.) Area Code 605, 336-2490

P.O. Box 495, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. 57101

Structural Steel Fabricator

Forrest W. Conger (C.R.) Area Code 605, 336-3620

P.O. Box 868, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. 57101

Mgr., Wholesale Paint and Glass

Wendell C. Fritz (A.R.) Area Code 605, 336-3266

366 Boyce-Greeley Bldg., Sioux Falls, So. Dak. 57101

Architect

George W. Elmen (Rec.) Area Code 605, 336-2545

P.O. Box 883, Sioux Falls, So. Dak. 57101

*Shrine Recorder***67 EL ZAGAL TEMPLE (ēl zā'gāl) Fargo, N. Dakota**

1429 North Third Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 14, April 9, Sept. 10 and Dec. 10.

Dispensation November 13, 1889 Charter June 23, 1890

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,321

Potentate—Glen F. Nelson. Area Code 701, AD 5-7516

Box No. 2103, Fargo, N. Dak. 58103

Chief Rabban—Edward V. Lahr, Jr. . . Area Code 701, CA 3-8484

Box 1477, Bismarck, No. Dak. 58502

Recorder—Howard B. Myhre. Area Code 701, AD 5-7521

1429 No. 3rd St., Fargo, N. Dak. 58103

REPRESENTATIVES

Glen F. Nelson (P.) Area Code 701, AD 5-7516

Box 2103, Fargo N. Dak. 58103

Oil & Coal Dealer

Edward V. Lahr, Jr. (CR) Area Code 701, CA 3-8484

Box 1477, Bismarck, N. Dak. 58502

Insurance

Frank Hull (A.R.) Area Code 701, AD 2-3562

Box 1953, Fargo, N. Dak. 58101

Insurance

George V. Ells (H.P. & P.) Area Code 701, AD 5-6028

1357—4th St. No., Fargo, N. Dak. 58102

Owner, Dental Laboratory

68 EL ZARIBAH TEMPLE (ēl zā rē'bā) Phoenix, Arizona

15th Avenue at Washington Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month.

Dispensation February 10, 1896 Charter June 24, 1896

Membership Jan. 1, 1964, 4,104

Potentate—William R. Schnorr.....Area Code 602, WH 5-5753
6613 E. Exeter Blvd., Scottsdale, Arizona 85251

Chief Rabban—Jesse W. Angle.....Area Code 602, 272-5901
Plaza Apts. 231, 1314 No. 1st Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85004

Recorder—Brooks Dudley.....Area Code 602, AL 3-7601
15th Avenue at Washington, Phoenix, Arizona 85007

REPRESENTATIVES

William R. Schnorr (P.).....Area Code 602, WH 5-5753
6613 E. Exeter, Scottsdale, Arizona 85251

Furniture Manufacturer

Jesse W. Angle (C.R.).....Area Code 602, 272-5901
Plaza Apts. 231, 1314 No. 1st Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85004

Farmer

George Beeler (A.R.).....Area Code 602, AM 5-0107
1345 W. Edgemont, Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Farmer

John W. Harmon (P.P.).....Area Code 602, AM 5-2142
1739 W. Devonshire, Phoenix, Arizona 85015

Insurance

69 GIZEH TEMPLE (gē'zē).....Vancouver 2, B.C.

940 Richards Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation August 16, 1902 Charter July 9, 1903

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,959

Potentate—C. Raymond Bowell.....Area Code 604, LA 2-1671
13284 56th Ave., R.R. 1, Cloverdale, B.C., Canada

Chief Rabban—E. Clayton Goodman..Area Code 604, HE 3-8511
5650 Kingston Rd., Vancouver 8, B.C., Canada

Recorder—Arthur Hamilton.....Area Code 604, 681-3585
940 Richards St., Vancouver 2, B.C.

REPRESENTATIVES

C. Raymond Bowell (P.).....Area Code 604, LA 2-1671
13284 56th Ave., R.R. 1, Cloverdale, B.C., Canada

Funeral Director

E. Clayton Goodman (C.R.).....Area Code 604, HE 3-8511
5650 Kingston Rd., Vancouver 8, B.C., Canada

Hauling Contractor

Jack M. Streight (P.P.).....Area Code 604, LA 2-0761
607 Columbia St., New Westminster, B.C., Canada

Barrister & Solicitor

Arthur Hamilton (Rec.).....Area Code 604, 681-3585
940 Richards St., Vancouver 2, B.C., Canada

Retired

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

70 HADI TEMPLE (hâ'dē).....**Evansville, Indiana**
6 Walnut StreetDates of Stated Meetings, fourth Tuesday of April, September
and December.

Dispensation April 12, 1909 Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,587

Potentate—William C. Standring, D.D.S.

Area Code 812, HA 5-7025

124 Locust St., Evansville, Indiana 47708

Chief Rabban—Edgar L. Schroer....Area Code 812, GR 7-0682

2119 E. Chandler Ave., Evansville, Ind. 47714

Recorder—Albert Bohnsack.....Area Code 812, HA 3-4285

6 Walnut St., Evansville, Indiana 47708

REPRESENTATIVESHenry B. Struby (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)...Area Code 812, GR 6-3021

829 S. New Green River Road, Evansville, Indiana 47715

President, Thrift, Inc.

William C. Standring, D.D.S. (P.)...Area Code 812, HA 5-7025

124 Locust St., Evansville, Indiana 47708

Dentist

Edgar L. Schroer (C.R.).....Area Code 812, GR 7-0682

2119 E. Chandler Ave., Evansville, Indiana 47714

General Personnel Mgr. & Supervision

Abe L. Krause, Jr. (A.R.).....Area Code 812, HA 5-3588

503 Lincoln Park Drive, Evansville, Ind. 47714

Owner-Operator, Krause Body Works

C. Ray Reynolds, (P.P.).....Area Code 812, HA 4-8071

212 S. Parker Drive, Evansville, Indiana 47714

*President, Reynolds Claim Service***71 HAMASA TEMPLE** (hă mâ'sâ)....**Meridian, Miss.**

8th St. and 24th Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Tuesday each month.

Dispensation May 26, 1892 Charter June 14, 1893

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,280

Potentate—Herman A. Shields.....Area Code 601, 485-4942

3926 Grandview Avenue, Meridian, Miss. 39303

Chief Rabban—Rudolph A. Posey.....Telephone 656-4811

Philadelphia, Miss. 39350

Recorder—Martin L. Gunn.....Area Code 601, 482-3321

P.O. Box 365, Meridian, Miss. 39301

REPRESENTATIVES

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3926 Grandview Ave., Meridian, Miss. 39303

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Martin L. Gunn (Rec.).....Area Code 601, 482-3321

P.O. Box 365, Meridian, Miss. 39301

Recorder

James T. Singley (P.P.).....Area Code 601, 485-5131

P.O. Box 1087, Meridian, Miss. 39301

Attorney

72 HASAN TEMPLE (hās'sān).....Albany, Georgia

Palmyra Road and Eleventh Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation June 22, 1950 Charter July 12, 1951

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,623

Potentate—Rufus C. Johnson.....Area Code 912, 384-1695

P.O. Box 282, Douglas, Georgia 31533

Chief Rabban—H. M. Barry.....Area Code 912, 382-2410

Rte. 3, Tifton, Georgia 31794

Recorder—Joe C. Howell.....Area Code 912, 432-1011

P.O. Box 1202, Albany, Georgia 31702

REPRESENTATIVES

Rufus C. Johnson (P.).....Area Code 912, 384-1695

P.O. Box 282, Douglas, Georgia 31533

City Manager

H. M. Barry (C.R.).....Area Code 912, 382-2410

Rte. 3, Tifton, Ga. 31794

Farming

Ruter E. Coleman (P.P.).....Area Code 912, 432-2357

1214 Eager St., Albany, Ga. 31705

Realtor

Joe C. Howell (Rec.).....Area Code 912, 432-1011

P.O. Box 1202, Albany, Ga. 31702

Recorder, Hasan Temple

73 HEJAZ TEMPLE (hě jǎz').....Greenville, S.C.

501 Masonic Temple

Dates of Stated Meetings—On call of Potentate.

Dispensation June 11, 1919 Charter June 24, 1920

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,399

Potentate—Geo. W. Phillips.....Area Code 803, 283-2011

Rte. 5, Lancaster, S.C. 29720

Chief Rabban—J. E. Bauknight, Jr.....Area Code 803, 638-2351

P.O. Box 246, Walhalla, S.C. 29691

Recorder—Walter L. Miller, Jr.Area Code 803, 232-3838

501 Masonic Temple, Greenville, S.C. 29601

REPRESENTATIVES

Geo. W. Phillips (P.).....Area Code 803, 282-2011

Rte. 5, Lancaster, S.C. 29720

Gen. Contractor

J. E. Bauknight, Jr. (C.R.).....Area Code 803, 638-2351

P.O. Box 246, Walhalla, S.C. 29691

Farm Supply & Livestock Dealer

B. Jack Foster (P.P.).....Area Code 803, 233-4523

242 McDaniel Ave., Greenville, S.C. 29601

Laundry & Dry Cleaning

Walter L. Miller, Jr. (Rec.).....Area Code 803, 232-3838

501 Masonic Temple, Greenville, S.C. 29601

Realtor

74 HELLA TEMPLE (hēl'lā).....Dallas, Texas

Scottish Rite Temple, Harwood and Young Sts.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Thursday each month except June,
July and August.

Dispensation May 31, 1887

Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 11,371

Potentate—Virgil M. Payne, Jr., M.D....Area Code 214, RI 2-4114
1210 Medical Arts Building, Dallas, Texas 75201*Chief Rabban*—Leon V. Shaw.....Area Code 214, HA 1-7341
P.O. Box 5687, Dallas, Texas 75222*Recorder*—Clarke Petet.....Area Code 214, RI 8-2131
P.O. Box 959, Dallas Texas 75221**REPRESENTATIVES**Virgil M. Payne, Jr., M.D. (P.).....Area Code 214, RI 2-4114
1210 Medical Arts Building, Dallas, Texas 75201
*Physician-Surgeon*Leon V. Shaw (C.R.).....Area Code 214, HA 1-7341
P.O. Box 5687, Dallas, Texas 75222
*Shaw Equipment Company*John McKee (P.P.).....Area Code 214, RI 8-5251
718 Mercantile Continental Bldg., Dallas, Texas 75201
*Regional Civic & Governmental Affairs Manager, Ford Motor Co.*Dean Gauldin.....Area Code 214,
2014 Marydale, Dallas, Texas 75208
*Judge***75 HILLAH TEMPLE (hīl'lā).....Ashland, Oregon**

Masonic Temple Building, 25 N. Main St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Friday, each month.

Dispensation July 15, 1908

Charter June 9, 1909

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,781

Potentate—Lloyd H. Griggs.....Telephone WH 2-2441
900 Sweet Lane, Cottage Grove, Oregon 97424*Chief Rabban*—John E. Blair.....Telephone WH 7-2385
P.O. Box 295, Lakeview, Oregon 97630*Recorder*—Frank H. Barnthouse.....Telephone 482-2256
P.O. Box 197, Ashland, Oregon 97520**REPRESENTATIVES**Lloyd H. Griggs (P.).....Telephone WH 2-2441
900 Sweet Lane, Cottage Grove, Oregon 97424
*Retail Hardware & Appliance*John E. Blair (C.R.).....Telephone WH 7-2385
P.O. Box 295, Lakeview, Oregon 97630
*Insurance*George V. Dugan (A.R.).....Telephone TU 4-3101
410 So. Sixth St., Klamath Falls, Oregon 97601
*Automobile Dealer*Lyndel W. Newbry (P.P.).....Telephone 482-2856
P.O. Box 106, Ashland, Oregon 97520
Newbry Orchards

76 INDIA TEMPLE (ĩn'dĩă) Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

225 N.W. 4th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, April 3, Sept., 4, Dec. 4.

Dispensation May 3, 1893 Charter July 25, 1894

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,185

Potentate—William Van Stuck. Area Code 405, CE 2-9158
2608 N. W. 65th Street, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73116

Chief Rabban—Phil C. Bennett. Area Code 405, CE 6-1313
Kerr-McGee Building, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102

Recorder—Robert F. Emanuel. Area Code 405, CE 2-1313
225 N. W. Fourth Street, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102

REPRESENTATIVES

Leslie H. Swan (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) Area Code 405, VI 2-3414
2200 N. W. 58th Street, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73112

Retired Recorder

William Van Stuck (P.) Area Code 405, CE 2-9158
2608 N. W. 65th Street, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73116

General Insurance Counselor, Owner, W. Van Stuck & Co.

Phil C. Bennett (C.R.) Area Code 405, CE 6-1313
Kerr-McGee Building, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102

Lawyer

Hal S. Whitten, (A.R.) Area Code 405, CE 9-2220
1030 Hightower Bldg., Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102

Attorney

Robt. F. Emanuel (Rec.) Area Code 405, CE 2-1313
225 N. W. Fourth Street, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73102

Recorder

77 IREM TEMPLE (ě'rěm) Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

52 N. Franklin St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Wednesday in January and on
Call of Potentate.

Charter September 2, 1895

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,683

Potentate—Hopkin T. Rowlands. Area Code 717, 822-5315
52 North Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, Penna. 18701

Chief Rabban—Harry J. Sandrock. Area Code 717, 788-2489
P.O. Box 201, 66 Benjamin Avenue, Conyngham, Penna. 18219

Recorder—David M. Pierce. Area Code 717, 822-5315
52 North Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, Penna. 18701

REPRESENTATIVES

Hopkin T. Rowlands (P.) Area Code 717, 822-5315
52 North Franklin Street, Wilkes-Barre, Penna. 18701

Attorney-At-Law

Charles F. Cox. Area Code 717, 636-3840
934 Washington St., Freeland, Penna. 18224

Merchant

William L. Hibbard. Area Code 717, 823-0842
162 S. Washington St., Wilkes-Barre, Penna. 18701

Retired

Stewart Jones. Area Code 717, 822-8556
18 Thompson St., Wilkes-Barre, Penna. 18702

Truck Driver

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

78 ISIS TEMPLE (ī'sis) Salina, Kansas
 336 South Santa Fe

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Friday each month.

Dispensation March 29, 1887 Charter June 20, 1887

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,705

Potentate—Vernon A. Webster Area Code 913, TA 3-4422

123 North Santa Fe, Salina, Kansas 67402

Chief Rabban—John M. Molstad . . . Area Code 913, HO 2-3577

130 South Grant, Colby, Kansas 67701

Recorder—H. Spencer Johnson Area Code 913, TA 3-8051

336 South Santa Fe, Salina, Kansas 67402

REPRESENTATIVES

Vernon A. Webster (P.) Area Code 913, TA 3-4422

123 North Santa Fe, Salina, Kansas 67402

Jeweler

John M. Molstad (C.R.) Area Code 913, HO 2-3577

130 South Grant, Colby, Kansas 67701

Manufacturer of Canvas Products

William C. Exline (A.R.) Area Code 913, TA 3-4683

P.O. Box 1267, Salina, Kansas 67402

Manufacturer of Diesel Engines

Herbert N. Holland (P.P.) Area Code 913, HU 3-3435

P.O. Box 206, Russell, Kansas 67665

Lawyer

79 ISLAM TEMPLE (īs'lām) San Francisco, Calif.
 650 Geary Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Thursday of each month.

Dispensation March 6, 1883 Charter June 6, 1883

Membership January 1, 1964, 9,315

Potentate—Lowell E. Braden Area Code 415, EX 7-1964

450 Sutter St., Room 2507, San Francisco, Calif. 94108

Chief Rabban—Paul R. Manning Area Code 408, FR 5-5594

110 Seventh Street, Pacific Grove, Calif. 93950

Recorder—Earle B. Brehaut Area Code 415, TU 5-0473

650 Geary Street, San Francisco, Calif. 94102

REPRESENTATIVES

William H. Woodfield, Jr. (*Ad Vitam and Emeritus*) (★★★★★)

Area Code 415, GA 1-1271

Russ Bldg., Suite 1669, San Francisco, Calif. 94104

Real Estate & Investments

Ernest C. Hueter (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 415, TU 5-5510

544 Market Street, San Francisco, Calif. 94104

Retired

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450 Sutter St., Room 2507, San Francisco, Calif. 94108

Dentist

Paul R. Manning (C.R.) Area Code 408, FR 5-5594

110 Seventh Street, Pacific Grove, Calif. 93950

Mortgage Broker

George P. Thomas (P.P.) Telephone YU 2-5100

589 Mission Street, San Francisco, Calif. 94105

Walter R. Castro, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 415, GL 3-8468

816 Fourth Street, San Rafael, Calif. 94901

Auto Leasing Company

80 ISMAILIA TEMPLE (īs mîê'lyâ) . . . **Buffalo, New York**

Statler-Hilton Hotel

Dates of Stated Meetings, March 11, May 13, November 11.

Dispensation November 5, 1887

Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,031

Potentate—Edward A. RathArea Code 716, TL 6-7190
27 Leonard St., Buffalo, N.Y. 14215

Chief Rabban—Henry Z. Lang, Jr.Area Code 716, TL 4-2770
273 Oak St., Buffalo, N.Y. 14203

Recorder—Arthur S. BedfordArea Code 716, TL 2-0265
Suite 55, Statler Hilton Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y. 14202

REPRESENTATIVES

Henry P. Bronkie (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . .Area Code 716, TL 3-7003
135 Delaware Ave., Room 502A, Buffalo, N.Y. 14202

Insurance Agent

Jerome S. Stinson (O.G.)Area Code 716, TL 6-7000
87 Overbrook Avenue, Tonawanda, N.Y. 14202

Henry Z. Lang, Jr. (C.R.)Area Code 716, TL 4-2770
122 Sargent Dr., Eggertsville, N.Y. 14226

Vice Pres., Lang Electric Corp.

James D. Seatter (A.R.)Telephone BU 5-5516
2944 South Ave., Niagara Falls, N.Y. 14305

South Jr. High School Principal

Harry W. Hutton (P.P.)Telephone FA 6-2825
243 E. Main St., Westfield, N.Y. 14787

President, Chautauqua Malted Milk

81 JAFFA TEMPLE (jăf'fâ)**Altoona, Pennsylvania**

Jaffa Mosque, Broad Avenue and 22nd Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, May 23, June 20, August 17, September 14 and December 11.

Charter July 9, 1903

Membership January 1, 1964, 6,677

Potentate—A. Othollo CurtisTelephone DI 2-3826
401 Spruce Street, Philipsburg, Pa. 16866

Chief Rabban—Thomas M. TreeseTelephone OW 5-2964
902 Penn Street, Hollidaysburg, Pa. 16648

Recorder—James O. MunnArea Code 814, WI 4-4043
P.O. Box 284, Altoona, Pa. 16601

REPRESENTATIVES

A. Othollo Curtis (P.)Telephone DI 2-3826
401 Spruce Street, Phillipsburg, Pa. 16866

Owner, Mgr., General Hardware Supply Co.

Thomas M. Treese (C.R.)Telephone OW 5-2964
902 Penn Street, Hollidaysburg, Pa. 16648

Owner, Treese Drug Store

James F. BraggTelephone 465-8369
967 Water Street, Indiana, Pa. 15701

Retired

Dwight R. HelselTelephone 539-8271
806 Park Avenue, Johnstown, Pa. 15902

Retired

82 JERUSALEM TEMPLE (jě roo'să-lēm)**New Orleans, La.**

1137 St. Charles Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Wednesday of each Month.

Dispensation March 30, 1885 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,401

Potentate—Earl H. Smith.....Area Code 504, 523-7653

205 Masonic Temple Building, New Orleans, La. 70130

Chief Rabban—Richard A. Dowling....Area Code 504, 523-1063

1031 Maison Blanche Building, New Orleans, La. 70112

Recorder—Michel Caplan.....Area Code 504, 522-5512

1137 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, La. 70130

REPRESENTATIVES

Earl H. Smith (P.).....Area Code 504, 523-7653

205 Masonic Temple Building, New Orleans, La. 70130

Regional Manager, Jackson Life Insurance Co.

Richard A. Dowling (C.R.).....Area Code 504, 523-1063

1031 Maison Blanche Building, New Orleans, La. 70112

Attorney At Law

Michel Caplan (Rec.)Area Code 504, 522-5512

1137 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, La. 70130

Recorder, Jerusalem Temple

Vincent Maniscalco.....Area Code 504, WH 5-8962

1102 Reynes Drive, New Orleans, La. 70124

*Used Car Dealer***83 KAABA TEMPLE** (kâ'âbâ).....**Davenport, Iowa**

Masonic Temple Bldg., 115 West 7th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Wednesday of Each Month except
June, July, and August.

Dispensation February 5, 1877 Charter July 1, 1878

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,670

Potentate—Raymond F. Knecht.....Area Code 319, 322-3624

428 W. 31st St., Davenport, Iowa 52803

Chief Rabban—William W. Brubaker..Area Code 319, 322-2682

808—4th St., Bettendorf, Iowa 52722

Recorder—Charles L. Ross.....Area Code 319, 323-1874

P.O. Box 449, Davenport, Iowa 52805

REPRESENTATIVESClarence A. Lay (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)....Area Code 319, 323-9908

3030 Middle Road, Davenport, Iowa 52803

Insurance—General Agent

Earl R. Ackerman (P.P.).....Area Code 319, 323-2711

P.O. Box 868, Davenport, Iowa 52805

Manager, Blackhawk Hotel

Raymond F. Knecht (P.).....Area Code 319, 322-3624

428 W. 31st St., Davenport, Iowa 52803

Deputy County Assessor

William W. Brubaker (C.R.).....Area Code 319, 322-2682

808—4th St., Bettendorf, Iowa 52722

Attorney

Paul B. McCray (P.P.).....Area Code 319, 323-9979

929 College Ave., Davenport, Iowa 52803

Insurance—General Agent

84 KALIF TEMPLE (kā'lif) Sheridan, Wyoming

145 W. Loucks St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Friday of each month except July and August.

Dispensation June 12, 1906 Charter May 8, 1907

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,606

Potentate—Joseph D. Pelesky Area Code 307, 674-6358
1345 So. Sheridan Ave., Sheridan, Wyoming 82801

Chief Rabban—Carl G. Ralston Area Code 307, 674-9968
408 W. Mountain View Drive, Sheridan, Wyoming 82801

Recorder—William J. Donnelly Area Code 307, 674-8530
P.O. Box 731, Sheridan, Wyoming 82801

REPRESENTATIVES

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1354 So. Sheridan Ave., Sheridan, Wyoming 82801

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408 W. Mountain View Drive, Sheridan, Wyoming 82801

Banker

G. Ray Coulson Area Code 307, 347-2760
800 So. 15th, Worland, Wyoming 82401

Merchant

William J. Donnelly (Rec.) Area Code 307, 674-8530
940 Sumner, Sheridan, Wyoming 82801

Moving and Storage

85 KALURAH TEMPLE (kā-loo'râ) . . . Binghamton, N.Y.

9th Floor, Arlington Hotel

Dates of Stated Meetings, on Call of Potentate—4 each year.

Dispensation June 15, 1899 Charter May 23, 1900

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,622

Potentate—L. Pierce Hotchkiss Area Code 607, 723-2952
Smith Road MR 99, Binghamton, N.Y. 13905

Chief Rabban—Creighton E. Wray . . . Area Code 607, 648-5882
R.D. No. 3, Binghamton, N.Y. 13902

Recorder—Willis L. Beesmer Area Code 607, 722-3782
9th Floor, Arlington Hotel, Binghamton, N.Y. 13902

REPRESENTATIVES

L. Pierce Hotchkiss (P.) Area Code 607, 723-2952
Smith Road MR 99, Binghamton, N.Y. 13905

Regional Sales Mgr., Inland Homes Corp.

Creighton E. Wray (C.R.) Area Code 607, 648-5882
R.D. No. 3, Binghamton, N.Y. 13902

Purchasing Agent, Dunn & McCarthy Shoe Co.

Lynn N. Peterson Area Code 607, 334-6864
166 N. Broad St., Norwich, N.Y. 13815

Judge—Attorney

J. Raymond Price Area Code 607, 722-5214
75 Oak St., Binghamton, N.Y. 13905

Retired

86 KAREM TEMPLE (kā'rēm) **Waco, Texas**
208 North 7th

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Thursday of each month except July and August.

Dispensation June 11, 1919 Charter June 24, 1920

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,188

Potentate—John R. Rogers Area Code 817, PL 2-4762
1301 Sunset Blvd., Waco, Texas 76710

Chief Rabban—A. C. Hicks Area Code 817, PL 4-5582
P.O. Box 2232, Waco, Texas 76703

Recorder—Don H. Janes Area Code 817, PL 4-3518
P.O. Box 1516, Waco, Texas 76703

REPRESENTATIVES

William F. Quebe (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . . Area Code 817, PL 2-2084
3024 Novice Rd., Waco, Texas 76710

Retired

John R. Rogers (P.) Area Code 817, PL 2-4762
1301 Sunset Blvd., Waco, Texas 76710

Partner, Carroll & Rogers Office Machine Co.

Arthur J. Williams, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 817, PR 2-0093
4924 Ridgeview Drive, Waco, Texas 76710

Secretary-Treasurer, Waco Memorial Park

A. C. Hicks (C.R.) Area Code 817, PL 4-5582
P.O. Box 2232, Waco, Texas 76703

Owner, Hicks Saw & Knife Company

Bill R. Baggett, (A.R.) Area Code 817, PL 4-2607
P.O. Box 1145, Waco, Texas 76703

Empire Seed Company

87 KARNAK TEMPLE (kār'nāk) **Montreal, Que.**
2295 St. Mark Street, Montreal 25, Quebec, Canada

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation October 20, 1899 Charter May 23, 1900

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,327

Potentate—John W. Tolson Telephone RE 8-3005
2097 Cambridge Road, Town of Mount Royal, Montreal 16,

Quebec, Canada

Chief Rabban—Walter E. Montgomery . . . Telephone RE 8-4430
104 Thornton Avenue, Town of Mount Royal, Montreal 16,

Quebec, Canada

Recorder—Robert M. McCarrell Telephone PO 8-2401
2295 St. Mark Street, Montreal 25, Quebec, Canada

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J. Fraser Ritchie Telephone MU 1-5183
265—64th Avenue, Chomedey, Quebec, Canada

Manager

88 KAZIM TEMPLE (kā-zīm') **Roanoke, Virginia**

628 Campbell Avenue, S.W.

Dates of Stated Meetings, January 18, April 25, November 14,
December 5.

Dispensation July 13, 1916 Charter June 26, 1917

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,571

Potentate—William C. Vaughn Area Code 703, VI 5-4531
P.O. Box 1078, Lynchburg, Virginia 24505

Chief Rabban—Thomas Stockton Fox . . Area Code 703, DI 3-9304
P.O. Box 825, Roanoke, Virginia 24004

Recorder—Orvin M. Miles Area Code 703, DI 4-9306
P.O. Box 832, Roanoke, Virginia 24004

REPRESENTATIVES

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P.O. Box 1078, Lynchburg, Virginia 24505
Vaughan Chevrolet & Cadillac Co.

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Aubrey B. Burton (P.P.) Area Code 703, 239-0356
P.O. Box 817, Lynchburg, Virginia 24505
Contractor

89 KEM TEMPLE (kēm) **Grand Forks, N.D.**

Masonic Temple, 423 Bruce Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, January, April, October, December (2nd
Thursday of month).

Dispensation June 9, 1909 Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,271

Potentate—Jerome S. Lamont Area Code 701, 774-4295
1821 North 4th Street, Grand Forks, N. Dak. 58201

Chief Rabban—L. Yale Gooden Area Code 701, TE 3-4184
606 7th Street, S. E., Minot, N. Dak. 58701

Recorder—J. Walter Hawkins Area Code 701, 772-1471
P.O. Drawer D, Grand Forks, N. Dak. 58201

REPRESENTATIVES

Jerome S. Lamont (P.) Area Code 701, 744-4295
1821 North 4th Street, Grand Forks, N. Dak. 58201
Branch Manager, General Adjustment Bureau

L. Yale Gooden (C.R.) Area Code 701, TE 3-4184
606 7th Street S. E., Minot, N. Dak. 58701
District Manager, Insurance Company

Marvin D. Hoffman Area Code 701, TE 5-6112
203 1st National Bank Bldg., Minot, N. Dak. 58701
General Dentistry

Robert K. Dodson Area Code 701, 352-2701
P.O. Box 271, Grafton, N. Dak. 58237
General Manager, Red River Starch Company

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

90 KENA TEMPLE (kē'nâ).....Alexandria, Va.

101 N. Columbus Street

Dates of State Meetings, Second Monday of each month.

Dispensation July 13, 1951

Charter June 19, 1952

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,043

Potentate—Edward E. Buckley.....Area Code 703, ST 3-5225

1100 H Street, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20005

Chief Rabban—John E. Posey.....Area Code 703, KI 9-4090

907 Summit Avenue, Alexandria, Va. 22302

Recorder—Paul A. Boyd.....Area Code 703, KI 9-1565

P.O. Box 360, Alexandria, Va. 22313

REPRESENTATIVESOrville F. Rush (*At Large*) (★★★).....Area Code 202, ME 8-1351

Suite 1034, Washington Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20005

Lawyer

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1100 H. Street, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20005

Supervisor

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907 Summit Ave., Alexandria, Va. 22302

Fire Marshal, City of Alexandria, Va.

Hyman Brenner (A.R.).....Area Code 703, JA 7-2537

3860 Columbia Pike, Arlington, Va. 22204

Bakery Owner

Layton S. Sorber (P.P.).....Area Code 703, 273-7474

363 W. Lee Highway, Fairfax, Va. 22030

*Sand & Gravel Co., Owner***91 KERAK TEMPLE (kē'rāk).....Reno, Nevada**

40 West First Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 4th Wednesday of each month except
July and August.

Dispensation December 10, 1906

Charter May 8, 1907

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,797

Potentate—Andre J. Stienne.....Area Code 702, FA 2-5569

1910 California Avenue, Reno, Nevada 89502

Chief Rabban—Lester A. Conklin....Area Code 702, FA 2-1290

46 West First Street, Reno, Nevada 89501

Recorder—Monty Barber.....Area Code 702, FA 2-3330

P.O. Box 728, Reno, Nevada 89504

REPRESENTATIVESMerwyn H. Brown (*Emeritus*) (P.P.).....Area Code 702,

MA 3-2572

P.O. Box 72, Winnemucca, Nevada 89445

District Judge

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1910 California Avenue, Reno Nevada 89502

Real Estate Appraiser, Washoe County Court House

Lester A. Conklin (C.R.).....Area Code 702, FA 2-1290

46 West First Street, Reno, Nevada 89501

Furrier

Edward Pine (A.R.).....Area Code 702, FA 2-2638

375 Hillcrest Drive, Reno, Nevada 89502

Contractor—Engineer

92 KERBELA TEMPLE (kêr'bě lâ) Knoxville, Tenn.

315 Mimosa Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Tuesday in each month.

Dispensation June 15, 1915 Charter July 14, 1915

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,845

Potentate—Lawrence J. Sharp. Area Code 615, 586-6319
1039 West 3rd Street North, Morristown, Tenn. 37813

Chief Rabban—Thomas W. McDowell. . Area Code 615, 522-4188
P.O. Box 2107, Knoxville, Tenn.

Recorder—John B. Wesley. Area Code 615, 522-2420
P.O. Box 1310, Knoxville, Tenn. 37902

REPRESENTATIVES

Robert H. Bailey. Area Code 615, 245-8531
210 East Center Street, Kingsport, Tenn. 37660

Thomas W. McDowell (C.R.). Area Code 615, 522-4188
P.O. Box 2107, Knoxville, Tenn.
Manager, Atlantic Ice Company

Paul R. Phelps. Area Code 615, 986-3581
P.O. Box 382, Lenoir City, Tenn. 37771
Owner, Phelps Chevrolet Co.

Avery Norris. Area Code 615, 522-4133
2315 Chapman Highway, Knoxville, Tenn.
Owner, Specialty Cleaners, Inc.

93 KHARTUM TEMPLE (kâr toom')

Winnipeg, Man., Can.

529 Wellington Crescent

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation November 19, 1904 Charter June 21, 1905

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,311

Potentate—James A. Ogden. Telephone SP 4-5441
720 Minto St., Winnipeg 10, Manitoba, Canada

Chief Rabban—Lloyd D. McPhail. Telephone WH 2-5909
90 Cuthbertson Ave., Winnipeg 29, Manitoba, Canada

Recorder—Henry Wilkinson. Telephone GL 2-5288
529 Wellington Crescent, Winnipeg 9, Manitoba

REPRESENTATIVES

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261 Baltimore Road, Winnipeg 13, Manitoba, Canada
Manufacturers' Agent

Michael A. Petlow.
123 South May St., Fort William, Ontario, Canada
Restaurateur

94 KHEDIVE TEMPLE (kě dēv') Norfolk, Virginia

243 West Freemason Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Annual Meeting, 3rd Wednesday,

January, May, September, November, Call of Potentate.

Dispensation June 9, 1909

Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,100

Potentate—Jerry T. Batts, Jr. Area Code 703, 627-9151

1054 Manchester Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia 23508

Chief Rabban—Bernard C. Murden . . . Area Code 703, 622-6373

5635 Shenandoah Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia 23509

Recorder—Robert E. Mayes, Jr. Area Code 703, 622-5206

P.O. Box 1245, Norfolk, Virginia 23501

REPRESENTATIVESAubrey G. Graham (*At Large and Emeritus*) (★★★)

Area Code 703, 627-7471

P.O. Box 719, Norfolk, Virginia 23501

*Postmaster*Melvin T. Blassingham (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)

Area Code 703, 622-9029

1045 Buckingham Ave., Norfolk, Virginia 23508

Retired

Jerry T. Batts, Jr. (P) Area Code 703, 627-9151

1054 Manchester Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia 23508

Attorney

Bernard C. Murden (C.R.) Area Code 703, 622-6373

5635 Shenandoah Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia 23509

Merchant

Raymond L. Woodall (A.R.) Area Code 703, 245-2823

P.O. Box 522, Newport News, Virginia 23607

Stock-broker

Jesse A. White (P.P.) Area Code 703, 625-7460

310 Kresge Building, Norfolk, Virginia 23510

*Insurance Broker***95 KHIVA TEMPLE (kě'vâ) Amarillo, Texas**

Fifth and Fillmore St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Wednesday of each month,
except June, July and August.

Dispensation June 24, 1920

Charter June 16, 1921

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,239

Potentate—C. A. (Bill) Holmes Area Code 806, SW 5-1704

2510 58th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79413

Chief Rabban—John M. Heket Area Code 806, DR 2-2272

400 Monroe Street, Amarillo, Texas 79101

Recorder—W. H. (Bill) Fairley Area Code 806, DR 3-2845

P.O. Box 328, Amarillo, Texas 79105

REPRESENTATIVES

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2510 58th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79413

Automobile Sales Manager

John M. Heket (C.R.) Area Code 806, DR 2-2272

400 Monroe Street, Amarillo, Texas 79101

President, Panhandle Continental Trailway Bus Co.

J. Henry Sears (A.R.) Area Code 806, EM 4-2435

145 North Texas, Hereford, Texas 79045

President, First National Bank

Al Whitaker (P.P.) Area Code 806, DR 2-3131

719 West 7th, Amarillo, Texas 79101

Owner & Manager of Bakery

96 KISMET TEMPLE (kiz'mět).....**Brooklyn, N.Y.**
92 Herkimer St.

Dates of Stated Meetings—on Call.

Dispensation July 2, 1887 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,552

Potentate—George A. Harken.....Area Code 212, 454-2633
75-35 182nd St., Flushing, N.Y. 11366

Chief Rabban—John F. Burlein.....Area Code 516, PI 2-1202
54—13th Ave., Mineola, N.Y. 11501

Recorder—Peter E. Keville.....Area Code 212, 638-7722
92 Herkimer St., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11216

REPRESENTATIVES

William B. Falconer (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) Area Code 212, HA 2-7000
P.O. Box 6, Church St. Station, New York, N.Y. 10006

Real Estate

William Cresswell (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)..Area Code 212, GE 4-6660
138 Kenilworth Place, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11210

Retired (Elec. Supp.)

George A. Harken (P.).....Area Code 212, 454-2633
75-35 182nd St., Flushing, N.Y. 11366

Banking

John F. Burlein (C.R.).....Area Code 516, PI 2-1202
54—13th Ave., Mineola, N.Y. 11501

Retired (Confectionery Mfg.)

Robert S. MacCormack (P.P.).....Area Code 212, AP 7-4848
302 Autumn Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11208

Retired (Utility Exec.)

Frederick L. Kopff (P.P.).....Area Code 212, GE 4-7125
2218 Newkirk Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y. 11226

Judge

97 KORA TEMPLE (kō'râ).....**Lewiston, Maine**
11 Sabattus Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Friday in January.

Dispensation December 14, 1891 Charter August 16, 1892

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,201

Potentate—Carl M. Stilphen.....Area Code 207, 594-4411
9 Claremont Street, Rockland, Maine 04801

Chief Rabban—Paul L. Powers.....Area Code 207, 865-6388
6 Pleasant Street, Freeport, Maine 04032

Recorder—Ernest L. Wellman.....Area Code 207, 782-6831
11 Sabattus Street, Lewiston, Maine 04240

REPRESENTATIVES

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Funeral Director

Paul L. Powers (C.R.).....Area Code 207, 865-6388
6 Pleasant Street, Freeport, Maine 04032

Lawyer

Walter L. Emerson, Jr. (P.P.).....Area Code 207, 783-0308
163 Wood Street, Lewiston, Maine 04240

Insurance

Francis W. McCurtain.....Area Code 207, 773-0378
110 Vannah Avenue, Portland, Maine 04103

Automotive Parts Wholesaler

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

98 KOREIN TEMPLE (kō rēn') Rawlins, Wyoming

Masonic Temple, 5th & Pine Sts.

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Friday after the First Monday of each month, except months of July and August.

Dispensation October 8, 1894 Charter September 2, 1895

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,121

Potentate—Hilliard Ridgely Area Code 307, 745-3003
Centennial, Wyoming 82055*Chief Rabban*—L. E. "Barney" Harris . . Area Code 307, 324-2726
P.O. Box 955, Rawlins, Wyoming 82301*Recorder*—S. Ken Briggs Area Code 307, 324-5031
P.O. Box 640, Rawlins, Wyoming 82301**REPRESENTATIVES**S. Ken Briggs (*Emeritus*) (Rec.) Area Code 307, 324-5031
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P.O. Box 955, Rawlins, Wyoming 82301*Insurance Agent*Charlie C. Kidd Area Code 307, 638-9428
418 West 31st Street, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001*Railroad Engineer*Douglas M. Dinsmore Area Code 307, 324-2755
P.O. Box 220, Rawlins, Wyoming 82301*Banker***99 KOSAIR TEMPLE** (kō'sair') Louisville, Kentucky

812 S. Second Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday, January, April, September, and December.

Dispensation November 3, 1884 Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,236

Potentate—David R. Bass Area Code 502, 637-5431
1703 South Brook St., P.O. Box 8152, Louisville, Ky. 40208*Chief Rabban*—J. Miles Pound (C.R.) . . Area Code 502, 585-2124
218 So. 41st Street, Louisville, Ky. 40212*Recorder*—Geo. F. Sengel Area Code 502, 585-5412
812 S. Second St., Louisville, Ky. 40203**REPRESENTATIVES**Geo. F. Sengel (*Emeritus*) (P.P.-Rec.) . . Area Code 502, 585-5412
812 South 2nd Street, Louisville, Ky. 40203*Recorder*David R. Bass (P.) Area Code 502, 637-5431
1703 South Brook St., P.O. Box 8152, Louisville, Ky. 40208*Wholesaler*J. Miles Pound (C.R.) Area Code 502, 585-2124
218 So. 41st Street, Louisville, Ky. 40212*Judge*O. F. Barnette (P.P.) Area Code 502, 635-6578
1219 S. 4th St., Louisville, Ky. 40203*President, O. B. & E. Rubber Co.*E. Skiles Jones (P.P.) Area Code 502, 584-6221
1405 Commonwealth Bldg., Louisville, Ky. 40202*Attorney*

100 LU LU TEMPLE (loo'loo') Philadelphia, Pa.

313 S. Broad Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, March 11, June 10, Dec. 30, 1964,
Jan. 6, 1965.

Dispensation December 31, 1883 Charter June 4, 1884

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,854

Potentate—Robert W. Dietrich Area Code 215, VI 3-0210
229 W. Upsal St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19119

Chief Rabban—Jacques H. Fox Area Code 215, LO 6-3886
36 Ridge Rd., Media, Pa. 19063

Recorder—John Paul Koitzsch Area Code 215, PE 5-7601
313 South Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 19107

REPRESENTATIVES

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229 W. Upsal St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19119

Branch Manager

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36 Ridge Rd., Media Pa. 19063

District Attorney, Del. County, Penna.

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P.O. Box 397, Feasterville, Pa. 19048

Manufacturer

Harold L. Gerringier (P.P.) Area Code 215, VI 4-1498
518 W. Clapier St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19144

Engineer

101 LUXOR TEMPLE (lūx'ôr) St. John, N.B.

92 Germain Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, At call of the Potentate.

Dispensation May 20, 1903 Charter July 9, 1903

Membership January 1, 1964, 771

Potentate—Hazen T. Dykeman Area Code 506, 693-7875
200 Germain Street, Saint John, N.B., Canada

Chief Rabban—Albert F. G. Shephard . . Area Code 506, 692-1591
953 Seacliffe Drive, Lancaster, N.B., Canada

Recorder—Henry D. Hopkins Area Code 506, 693-7074
P.O. Box 475, Saint John, N.B., Canada

REPRESENTATIVES

Hazen T. Dykeman (P.) Area Code 506, 693-7875
200 Germain Street, Saint John, N.B., Canada

Grocer

Leslie J. Brewer Area Code 506, GR 5-4595
495 Montgomery St., Fredericton, N.B., Canada

Executive

John B. Flewelling Area Code 506, 466-3782
15 Marks St., Saint Stephen, N.B., Canada

Insurance Agent

102 MAHI TEMPLE (mâ'hē') Miami, Florida

1500 N.W. North River Dr.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Thursday, each month.

Dispensation June 16, 1921 Charter June 15, 1922

Membership January 1, 1964, 7,049

Potentate—Malcolm C. McAllister. Area Code 305, 373-7871

152 S.W. 20th Road, Miami, Florida 33145

Chief Rabban—Vernon C. Holloway. Area Code 305, 754-9594

6444 N.E. 4th Avenue, Miami, Florida 33138

Recorder—James C. Hathaway (P.P.) . . . Area Code 305, 635-2545

1500 N.W. North River Drive, Miami, Florida 33125

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152 S.W. 20th Road, Miami, Florida 33145

Florist

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6444 N.E. 4th Avenue, Miami, Florida 33138

Electrical Contractor

Joseph H. Crane (A.R.) Area Code 305, 751-2475

7000 N.W. 2nd Ave., Miami, Florida 33150

Auto Dealer

I. D. Smith (P.P.) Area Code 305, 877-2646

1016 Merritt Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 30201

*State Employee Tag Agency***103—MASKAT TEMPLE (mās'cat) Wichita Falls, Texas**

1100 Lamar Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Tuesday each month.

Dispensation June 22, 1920 Charter June 16, 1921

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,321

Potentate—W. P. Howle. Area Code 817, 767-5432

2707 Buchanan, Wichita Falls, Texas 76309

Chief Rabban—H. M. Butler. Area Code 817, 766-4381

P.O. Box 484, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307

Recorder—W. A. Spoonts. Area Code 817, 766-4511

P.O. Box 1950, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307

REPRESENTATIVES

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2707 Buchanan Street, Wichita Falls, Texas 76309

Brick Contractor

H. M. Butler (C.R.) Area Code 817, 766-4381

P.O. Box 484, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307

Partner, Draughon's Business College

C. A. Muehlberger (A.R.) Area Code 817, 322-1664

P.O. Box 867, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307

Partner, Men's Clothing Store

W. A. Spoonts (Rec) Area Code 817, 766-4511

P.O. Box 1950, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307

Recorder, Maskat Temple

104 MECCA TEMPLE (měck'â) **New York, New York**

Hotel New Yorker, 4th Floor, 34th St., at 8th Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, On call of Potentate.

Charter September 26, 1872

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,830

Potentate—Alfred J. Cawse, Jr. Area Code 212, YU 4-0077
7 Haynes Street, Staten Island, N.Y. 10309

Chief Rabban—Irving L. Mermer Area Code 914, YO 5-8911
25 Sunnyside Drive, Yonkers, N.Y. 10705

Recorder—George Levy Area Code 212, LO 3-0241
Hotel New Yorker—4th Fl. 34 st. & 8 Ave., New York, N.Y. 10001

REPRESENTATIVES

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7 Haynes Street, Staten Island, N.Y. 10309

Judge of The Criminal Court of the City of New York

Irving L. Mermer (C.R.) Area Code 914, YO 5-8911
25 Sunnyside Drive, Yonkers, N.Y. 10705
Prop. of The Durotone Co.

Leo Spiegel (P.P.) Area Code 914, YO 5-8337
81 Courter Ave., Yonkers, N.Y. 10705
Contractor—Roofing

Walter A. DeLamater (P.P.) Area Code 914, TR 6-4562
P.O. Box 175, Rhinebeck, N.Y. 12572
Retired

105 MEDIA TEMPLE (mě'diă) **Watertown, N.Y.**

Masonic Temple, 240 Washington St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Monday each Month except June,
July and August.

Dispensation March 19, 1891 Charter June 9, 1891
Membership January 1, 1964, 1,308

Potentate—Kenyon A. Plumpton Area Code 315, 782-6400
260 State Street, Watertown, N.Y. 13601

Chief Rabban—John M. Langford Area Code 315, 393-2560
Hearthstone Inn, Ogdensburg, N.Y. 13669

Recorder—Edwin H. Adams Area Code 315, 788-6900
P.O. Box 321, Watertown, N.Y. 13602

REPRESENTATIVES

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260 State Street, Watertown, N.Y. 13601
Automobile Dealer, Chevrolet

John M. Langford (C.R.) Area Code 315, 393-2560
Hearthstone Inn, Ogdensburg, N.Y. 13669
Restaurant Operator

Douglas J. Berry Area Code 315, 788-0965
313 Clay Street, Watertown, N.Y. 13601
Funeral Director

John C. Squires Area Code 315, 592-7959
251 So. 3rd Street, Fulton, N.Y. 13069
Sales Manager

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

106 MEDINAH TEMPLE (mě-dī'ná)Chicago, Illinois

600 N. Wabash Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, Call of Potentate.

Dispensation December 5, 1882 Charter June 6, 1883

Membership January 1, 1964, 21,679

Potentate—William M. Weisenborn . . . Area Code 312, HU 6-2441
1758 North Rockwell Street, Chicago, Ill. 60647*Chief Rabban*—Yngvar Brynildssen . . . Area Code 312, SP 2-9500
923 Michigan Avenue, Evanston, Ill. 60202*Recorder*—Carl W. Lutz Area Code 312, WH 4-4266
600 No. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60611**REPRESENTATIVES**Thomas F. Seay (*At Large*) (★★★) . . Area Code 312, CE 6-7060
30 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Ill. 60602*Real Estate*William M. Weisenborn (P.) Area Code 312, HU 6-2441
1758 North Rockwell Street, Chicago, Illinois 60647*Electrical Contractor*Yngvar Brynildssen (C.R.) Area Code 312, SP 2-9500
923 Michigan Avenue, Evanston, Ill. 60202*Construction and Mortgage Financing*Albin R. Anderson (A.R.) Area Code 312, ES 9-0161
4859 West Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Ill. 60651*Construction Equipment*Walter H. Vartan (P.P.) Area Code 312, SU 7-8216
262 East Illinois Street, Chicago, Ill. 60611*Graphic Arts***107 MELHA TEMPLE (měl'há)Springfield, Mass.**

133 Longhill Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, January, April, July and October.

Dispensation June 9, 1897 Charter June 14, 1898

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,552

Potentate—John Baird Area Code 413, 567-3029
31 Villa St., Longmeadow, Mass. 01106*Chief Rabban*—Carl B. Martin, Jr. Area Code 413, 596-3456
8 Chapin Drive, Wilbraham, Mass. 01095*Recorder*—Frederick W. DeWitt Area Code 413, 736-3647
133 Longhill St., Springfield, Mass. 01108**REPRESENTATIVES**Harold E. Kjoller (H.P. & P.) Area Code 413,
391 Gillette Avenue, Springfield, Mass. 01108Carl B. Martin, Jr. (C.R.) Area Code 413, 596-3456
8 Chapin Drive, Wilbraham, Mass. 01095*Wholesale Lumber Dealer*H. Edward Baker (A.R.) Area Code 1-413, 596-4660
1183 Tinkhom Rd., Wilbraham, Mass. 01095*Salesman*Frederick W. DeWitt (Rec.) Area Code 413, 736-3647
133 Longhill St., Springfield, Mass. 01108*Receiver and Shipper*

108 MIDIAN TEMPLE (mĭd'ī-ăn).....Wichita, Kansas
115 N. Topeka Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Wednesday each month except
July and August.

Dispensation June 9, 1909 Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,123

Potentate—Carl L. Buck.....Area Code 316, AM 2-2431
519 Beacon Building, Wichita, Kansas 67202

Chief Rabban—Carl B. Richardson....Area Code 316, AM 4-7367
1355 Minisa Drive, Wichita, Kansas 67203

Recorder—Herschel L. Kinzy.....Area Code 316, AM 5-9676
115 N. Topeka, Wichita, Kansas 67202

REPRESENTATIVES

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Attorney

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1355 Minisa Drive, Wichita, Kansas 67203
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Jack H. Cozine (A.R.).....Area Code 316, AM 2-3435
1147 S. Broadway, Wichita, Kansas 67211
Funeral Director

Kenneth W. Bumgarner (H.P. & P.)..Area Code 316, AM 5-3126
312 Union Center, Wichita, Kansas 67202
Exploration Mgr., Gulf Oil Co.

109 MIRZA TEMPLE (mēr'zâ).....Pittsburg, Kansas
110½ West Fifth (Box 226)

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Wednesday of each month.

Dispensation June 9, 1909 Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,455

Potentate—Wm. H. Lewark.....Area Code 316, CL 1-0830
709 East Seventh Street, Coffeyville, Kansas 66337

Chief Rabban—Wm. H. Shute.....Area Code 316, AD 1-6200
104 North Locust, Pittsburg, Kansas 66762

Recorder—DeVere Love.....Area Code 316, AD 1-4180
P.O. Box 226, Pittsburg, Kansas 66762

REPRESENTATIVES

Wm. H. Lewark (P.).....Area Code 316, CL 1-0830
709 East Seventh St., Coffeyville, Kansas 66337
President, Southeast Construction Co.

Wm. H. Shute (C.R.).....Area Code 316, AD 1-6200
104 North Locust, Pittsburg, Kansas 66762
President, Pittcraft, Incorporated

W. Howard Millington (*Emer. Rec.*)..Area Code 316, AD 1-1138
P.O. Box No. 413, Pittsburg, Kansas 66762
Royal Impresario, Royal Order of Jesters

Norman "Jack" Wilkinson.....Area Code 316,
Weir, Kansas

110 MIZPAH TEMPLE (miz'pâ).....Fort Wayne, Ind.

407 W. Berry Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, January 17, 1964.

Dispensation April 27, 1909 Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,140

Potentate—W. Don White.....Area Code 219, 637-6264

6 Ridge Rd., Cedar Canyons, R.R. 1, Grabill, Indiana 46741

Chief Rabban—Frank O. Rarick.....Area Code 219, 267-7812

112 N. Washington St., Warsaw, Indiana 46580

Recorder—J. Henry Curdes.....Area Code 219, 742-9282

407 W. Berry St., Fort Wayne, Indiana 46802

REPRESENTATIVESCarl H. Pierson (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)....Area Code 219, 742-2331

744 W. Fairfax Ave., Fort Wayne, Ind. 46807

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407 W. Berry St., Fort Wayne, Indiana 46802

Recorder of Mizpah Temple

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Manufacturers Representative, Clothing

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112 N. Washington St., Warsaw, Indiana 46580

Postmaster

Daniel I. Weikel (A.R.).....Area Code 219, 743-5267

P.O. Box 1108, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46805

Contractor

Joseph W. Fuzy, Jr. (P.P.).....Area Code 219, 743-7316

4717 Arlington Ave., Fort Wayne, Indiana 46807

*Insurance Claims Adjuster***111 MOCHA TEMPLE (mō'kâ).....London, Ont.**

468 Colborne Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month.

Dispensation January 1, 1908 Charter July 15, 1908

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,018

Potentate—F. Thomas Vallance.....Area Code 519, 432-2347

Apt. 3, 200 St. James St., London, Ontario, Canada

Chief Rabban—John A. Irvine.....Area Code 519, 652-2810

P.O. Box 236, Lambeth, Ontario, Canada

Recorder—Frank H. Butcher (P.P.)....Area Code 519, 434-3874

468 Colborne Street, London, Ontario, Canada

REPRESENTATIVES

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468 Colborne Street, London, Ontario, Canada

Recorder

Harold B. Porter (O.G.).....Area Code 519, CL 6-2892

2433 Windermere Rd., Windsor, Ontario, Canada

Manager

112 MOHAMMED TEMPLE (mō-hām'měd)... Peoria, Ill.

207 N. Monroe St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Tuesday each month.

Charter June 14, 1893

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,139

Potentate—M. Carroll Baymiller.....Area Code 309, 674-8125

702 First Natl. Bank Bldg., Peoria, Illinois 61602

Chief Rabban—C. Bonner Triebel.....Area Code 309, 688-3467

3014 N. Prospect, Peoria, Illinois 61614

Recorder—Leonard B. Potter.....Area Code 309, 673-1497

P.O. Box 177, Peoria, Illinois 61601

REPRESENTATIVES

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702 First Natl. Bank Bldg., Peoria, Illinois 61602

Attorney

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3014 N. Prospect, Peoria, Illinois 61614

Cemetery Manager

Charles Hastings (A.R.).....Area Code 309, 674-6249

3527 N. Bigelow, Peoria, Illinois 61614

County Auditor

Leonard B. Potter (P.P. & Rec.).....Area Code 309, 673-1497

P.O. Box 177, Peoria, Illinois 61601

Recorder

113 MOILA TEMPLE (mō-ē'lâ).....St. Joseph, Missouri

701 North Noyes Blvd.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month except
January. 3rd Wednesday in January.

Dispensation December 1, 1887 Charter June 17, 1889

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,247

Potentate—W. Edgar Chatham.....Area Code 816, AD 2-5469

615 South 7th Street, St. Joseph, Mo. 64501

Chief Rabban—Fred J. Hoffman.....Area Code 816, AD 2-3344

YMCA, 10th & Faraon Sts., St. Joseph, Mo. 64501

Recorder—Everett H. Trunk.....Area Code 816, AD 2-5129

701 North Noyes Blvd., St. Joseph, Mo. 64506

REPRESENTATIVES

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President, St. Joseph Furnace & Supply Co.

Fred J. Hoffman (C.R.).....Area Code 816, AD 2-3344

YMCA, 10th & Faraon Sts., St. Joseph, Mo. 64501

General Secretary, YMCA

Milton W. Taylor (A.R.).....Area Code 816, AD 3-3161

Corby Building, 5th & Felix, St. Joseph, Mo. 64501

Certified Public Accountant

Kenneth L. McNeal (H.P. & P.).....Area Code 816, AD 2-4461

510 Francis, St. Joseph, Mo. 64501

General Manager, Chamber of Commerce

114 MOOLAH TEMPLE (moo'lâ) . . . St. Louis, Missouri 3821 Lindell Blvd.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Wednesday of each month, except
July and August.

Dispensation April 26, 1886 Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 10,181

Potentate—Arch R. McEwen Area Code 314, PE 1-0450

P.O. Box 6067, Lambert Field, St. Louis, Missouri 63145

Chief Rabban—Robert W. Conradi . . . Area Code 314, PR 1-0775

2436 Kosciusko, St. Louis, Missouri 63104

Recorder—Elmer E. Kempf Area Code 314, JE 3-2772

3821 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri 63108

REPRESENTATIVES

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5050 Oakland Ave., St. Louis, Missouri 63110

Area Code 314, OL 2-4300

Gen. Mgr., Chr. of Board, Falstaff Brewery

George C. Foster (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 314, GA 1-2670

875 Arcade Bldg., St. Louis, Missouri 63101

Attorney

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President, St. Louis Flying Service

Robert W. Conradi (C.R.) Area Code 314, PR 1-0775

2436 Kosciusko, St. Louis, Missouri 63104

President, Banner Sand Co.

Alfred J. Meyer (A.R.) Area Code 314, EV 2-3465

3951 Canterbury Dr., Normandy, Missouri 63121

Retired

Stanley Wurtz (P.P.) Area Code 314, OL 2-1300

2838 Market St., St. Louis, Missouri 63103

Chairman of Board, Stanley Photo Supply

115 MOROCCO TEMPLE (môr ôck'ô) . . . Jacksonville, Fla.

219 Newnan Street (P.O. Box 1078)

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month.

Dispensation March 30, 1888 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 6,841

Potentate—Thomas E. Taylor Area Code 305, 794-2840

Mayo, Florida 32066

Chief Rabban—Frank Winchell Area Code 305, 353-4892

c/o Roosevelt Hotel, 33 W. Adams, Jacksonville, Florida 32202

Recorder—W. Lawrence Jackson Area Code 305, 353-6291

P.O. Box 1078, 219 Newnan St., Jacksonville, Florida 32201

REPRESENTATIVES

Thomas E. Taylor (P.) Area Code 305, 794-2840

Mayo, Florida 32066

Postman

Frank Winchell (C.R.) Area Code 305, 353-4892

c/o Roosevelt Hotel, 33 W. Adams, Jacksonville, Florida 32202

Exec. Secy., Am. Greyhound Track Operator's Assn.

Warren L. Jones (P.P.) Area Code 305, 354-7111

P.O. Box 60, Jacksonville, Florida 32201

Judge

J. Dillon Kennedy (P.P.) Area Code 305, 356-6511

37 W. 19th St., Jacksonville, Florida 32206

Commissioner of Utilities

116 MOSLAH TEMPLE (möz'lá) Fort Worth, Texas

1100 Henderson Street, P.O. Box 1320
 Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Thursday each month.
 Dispensation May 13, 1914 Charter July 13, 1915
 Membership January 1, 1964, 7,460
Potentate—Earnest E. Sanders Area Code 817, ED 5-9315
 2300 Continental National Bank Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas 76102
Chief Rabban—Roy J. Brooks Area Code 817, ED 5-4131
 P.O. Box 2322, Fort Worth, Texas 76101
Recorder—Robert H. Hall Area Code 817, ED 5-9469
 P.O. Box 1320, Fort Worth Texas 76101

REPRESENTATIVES

C. Victor Thornton, (*At Large*) (★★★)
 Area Code 817, WA 6-3321
 P.O. Box 6958, Fort Worth, Texas 76115
Civil Engineer
 Earnest E. Sanders (P.) Area Code 817, ED 5-9315
 2300 Continental National Bank Bldg., Fort Worth, Texas 76102
Attorney
 Roy J. Brooks (C.R.) Area Code 817, ED 5-4131
 P.O. Box 2322, Fort Worth, Texas 76101
Certified Life Underwriter
 John C. Sikes (A.R.) Area Code 817, WA 6-3355
 P.O. Box 11037, Fort Worth, Texas 76110
Executive, Steel Construction Company

117 MOSLEM TEMPLE (möz'lēm) Detroit, Michigan

434 Temple Avenue
 Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.
 Dispensation June 2, 1880 Charter June 2, 1880
 Membership January 1, 1964, 15,459
Potentate—Alex Acey Area Code 313, WO 2-7836
 203 Francis Palms Building, Detroit, Michigan 48201
Chief Rabban—R. Harold Ling Area Code 313, 273-3840
 18520 Bretton Drive, Detroit, Michigan 48223
Recorder—Edward J. Savage Area Code 313, TE 1-7600
 434 Temple Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48201

REPRESENTATIVES

Charles E. Merrill (*At Large*) (★★★)
 Area Code 313, WO 1-4980
 1253 Penebscot Building, Detroit, Michigan 48226
Attorney
 Thomas D. Van Dine (*Emeritus*) (P.P.)
 Area Code 313, VE 5-2270
 14043 Coyle, Detroit, Michigan 48227
Retired
 Alex Acey (P.) Area Code 313, WO 2-7836
 203 Francis Palms Building, Detroit, Michigan 48201
Custom Tailor
 R. Harold Ling (C.R.) Area Code 313, 273-3840
 18520 Bretton Drive, Detroit, Michigan 48223
Funeral Director
 William H. Polkinghorn (P.P.) Area Code 313, WO 2-5700
 1300 Beaubien, Detroit, Michigan 48226
Director of Traffic, Detroit Police Dept.
 Joseph E. Ross Area Code 313, WO 1-2653
 1045 Perry, Detroit, Michigan 48201
Manufacturer of Machinery and Lock Nuts

118 MOUNT SINAI TEMPLE (mount sī'nāi)**Montpelier, Vermont**

16 State Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, January, March, May, October.

Charter October 31, 1876

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,633

Potentate—Raymond Smith.....Telephone 223-2103
32 Summer St., Montpelier, Vermont 05601*Chief Rabban*—Leland F. Gray.....Telephone 626-5502
Lyndonville, Vermont 05851*Recorder*—Wendell L. Johnston.....Telephone 223-3526
P.O. Box 76, Montpelier, Vermont 05602**REPRESENTATIVES**Raymond Smith (P.).....Telephone 223-2103
32 Summer St., Montpelier, Vermont 05601
*Grain Business*Leland F. Gray (C.R.).....Telephone 626-5502
Lyndonville, Vermont 05851
*Electric Business*Wendell L. Johnston (Rec.).....Telephone 223-3526
23 Summer St., Montpelier, Vermont 05601
*Insurance Accountant*Huntress T. Clark (P.P.).....Telephone 295-2652
P.O. Box 364, White River Junction, Vermont 05001
*Transportation***119 MURAT TEMPLE** (mũ rât')....**Indianapolis, Indiana**

510 N. New Jersey Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Monday each month.

Dispensation March 13, 1884 Charter June 4, 1884

Membership January 1, 1964, 15,556

Potentate—Alex M. Clark.....Area Code 317, CL 1-5187
5832 Winthrop Ave., Indianapolis, Indiana 46220*Chief Rabban*—Charles H. Ellis.....Area Code 317, ME 6-4488
P.O. Box 1517, Indianapolis, Ind. 46206*Recorder*—Karl L. Friedrichs.....Area Code 317, ME 5-2433
510 N. New Jersey Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204**REPRESENTATIVES**J. Worth Baker (*At Large*) (★★★)...Area Code 317, ME 4-3700
Essex House, 407 N. Pennsylvania Ave., Indianapolis, Ind. 46204
*Realtor*Alex M. Clark (P.).....Area Code 317, CL 1-5187
5832 Winthrop Ave., Indianapolis, Indiana 46220
*Attorney*Charles H. Ellis (C.R.).....Area Code 317, ME 6-4488
P.O. Box 1517, Indianapolis, Indiana 46206
*Manufacturer & Distributor*Karl L. Friedrichs (Rec.).....Area Code 317, ME 5-2433
510 N. New Jersey Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204
*Recorder*Edwin K. Steers (T. & P.P.).....Area Code 317, LI 6-3274
3808 Devon Drive, Indianapolis, Indiana 46218
Attorney General, State of Indiana

120 NAJA TEMPLE (nâ jâ) . . . Deadwood, South Dakota

Masonic Temple, P.O. Box 463
 Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month except
 July and August.
 Dispensation August 16, 1892 Charter June 14, 1893
 Membership January 1, 1964, 1,214
Potentate—Elvin E. Wick Area Code 605, FI 2-1763
 P.O. Box 1507, Rapid City, So. Dak. 57702
Chief Rabban—Leonard T. Van Syoc Area Code 605, 892-2644
 P.O. Box 449, Belle Fourche, So. Dak. 57717
Recorder—Carl H. Kubler Area Code 605, 578-2001
 P.O. Box 463, Deadwood, So. Dak. 57732

REPRESENTATIVES

Gerald D. Crary (*Ad Vitam and Emeritus*) (★★★★★)
 Area Code 605, 578-1662
 P.O. Box 552, Deadwood, So. Dak. 57732
Wholesale Hardware
 Elvin E. Wick (P.) Area Code 605, FI 2-1763
 P.O. Box 1507, Rapid City, So. Dak. 57702
Realtor
 Leonard T. Van Syoc (C.R.) Area Code 605, 892-2644
 P.O. Box 449, Belle Fourche, So. Dak. 57717
Automobile Dealer
 Robert C. Swanson (A.R.) Area Code 605, 578-1224
 11 Smith Apts., Deadwood, So. Dak. 57732
Wholesale Grocer
 Carl H. Kubler (Rec.) Area Code 605, 578-2001
 P.O. Box 463, Deadwood, So. Dak. 57732
Recorder

121 NEMESIS TEMPLE (něm'ē sis) . . Parkersburg, W. Va.

900 Market Street
 Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Thursday each month.
 Dispensation May 8, 1912 Charter May 13, 1913
 Membership January 1, 1964, 1,600
Potentate—C. Edgar Pratt Area Code 304, 422-0321
 410 Market Street, Parkersburg, W. Va. 26102
Chief Rabban—Harry G. Weaver Area Code 304, 623-0341
 329 E. Main Street, Clarksburg, W. Va. 26301
Recorder—E. K. Ahrendt Area Code 304, 428-9721
 900 Market St., Parkersburg, W. Va. 26102

REPRESENTATIVES

C. Edgar Pratt (P.) Area Code 304, 422-0321
 410 Market Street, Parkersburg, W. Va. 26102
Partner, Accounting Firm, Glass & Pratt
 Harry G. Weaver (C.R.) Area Code 304, 623-0341
 329 E. Main St., Clarksburg, W. Va. 26301
Mortician, Partner Owner, Davis Weaver Fun. Home
 Harry Grossman Area Code 304, 422-7893
 2502 Elm St., Parkersburg, W. Va.
Broker
 Eugene M. Estep Area Code 304, VI 2-3591
 1222 Briercliff St., Bridgeport, W. Va.
Vice-Pres., Erwin Supply Co.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

122 NILE TEMPLE (nīl) Seattle, Washington

229 Third Avenue, North

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday, except June, July and August.

Dispensation July 15, 1908 Charter June 9, 1909

Membership January 1, 1964, 11,109

Potentate—Arthur T. Bateman Area Code 206, MU 2-2444
1710 Hoge Building, Seattle, Wash. 98104*Chief Rabban*—William E. Parker Area Code 206, EM 3-9008
1204 N.W. 122nd Place, Seattle, Wash. 98177*Recorder*—Glenn H. Carpenter (P.P.) Area Code 206, AT 4-0910
229 Third Avenue North, Seattle, Wash. 98109**REPRESENTATIVES**Arthur T. Bateman (P.) Area Code 206, MU 2-2444
1710 Hoge Building, Seattle, Wash. 98104*Attorney*William E. Parker (C.R.) Area Code 206, EM 3-9008
1204 N.W. 122nd Place, Seattle, Wash. 98177*Consulting Engineer*Ford Q. Elvidge (P.P.) Area Code 206, MA 3-2369
1310 Dexter Horton Bldg., Seattle, Wash. 98104*Attorney*Ralph C. Olson Area Code 206, CH 3-7575
601 S.W. 152nd St., Seattle, Wash. 98166*Owner, Men's Wear***123 NUR TEMPLE (nūr) Wilmington, Delaware**

P.O. Box 2324

Dates of Stated Meetings, On Call of Potentate.

Dispensation June 20, 1952 Charter July 16, 1953

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,987

Potentate—Elbert N. Carvel Area Code 302, RE 4-5711
State House, Dover Delaware 19901*Chief Rabban*—Claude A. Brittingham Area Code 302, PO 2-1849
416 Eastman Road, Northwood, Wilmington, Delaware 19803*Recorder*—Albert W. Buchanan Area Code 302, EA 8-6100
P.O. Box 2324, Wilmington, Delaware 19899**REPRESENTATIVES**Elbert N. Carvel (P.) Area Code 302, RE 4-5711
State House, Dover, Delaware 19901*Governor of Delaware*Claude A. Brittingham (C.R.) Area Code 302, PO 2-1849
416 Eastman Rd., Northwood, Wilmington, Delaware 19803*Sales Representative, R. E. Tongue & Bros. Co., Inc.*Frederic G. Krapf, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 302, OL 6-6686
421 Orange Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801*President, General Contractors, Frederic G. Krapf & Son*James L. Whaley (P.P.) Area Code 302, PO 4-1564
503 Ruxton Drive, Georgian Ter., Wilmington, Delaware 19809*Engineer, E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co.*

124 OASIS TEMPLE (ō ā'sis) **Charlotte, N.C.**

321 S. Tryon Street /
 Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 25, June 7, Oct. 19, Dec. 6.
 Dispensation October 10, 1894 Charter September 2, 1895
 Membership January 1, 1964, 7,779
Potentate—W. Fleming Talman Area Code 704, AL 3-2376
 106 Wembley Road, Asheville, N.C. 28804
Chief Rabban—Harry M. Bryant Area Code 704, UN 5-3556
 P.O. Box 2169, Gastonia, N.C. 28053
Recorder—Julian W. Helms Area Code 704, ED 4-2954
 321 S. Tryon Street, Charlotte, N.C. 28202

REPRESENTATIVES

J. B. Whittington (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . Area Code 919, PA 2-8844
 P.O. Box 2954-1, Winston-Salem, N.C. 27102
Retired—M.D.
 W. Fleming Talman (P) Area Code 704, AL 3-2376
 106 Wembley Road, Asheville, N.C. 28804
Owner, Office Supply Co.
 Harry M. Bryant (C.R.) Area Code 704, UN 5-3556
 P.O. Box 2169, Gastonia, N.C. 28053
Electrical Supplies
 J. Y. Jordan, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 704, AL 2-7301
 603 Jackson Bldg., Asheville, N.C. 28801
Lawyer
 H. Edward Austin Area Code 704,
 2027 Sherwood Avenue, Charlotte, N.C. 28207

125 OLEIKA TEMPLE (ō lē'kā) **Lexington, Kentucky**

326 Southland Drive
 Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Thursday each month except July
 and August.
 Dispensation April 24, 1908 Charter July 15, 1908
 Membership January 1, 1964, 2,523
Potentate—Edmund H. Bouton Area Code 502, 227-7431
 210 West Main Street, Frankfort, Ky. 40601
Chief Rabban—Earl R. McDaniel . . . Area Code 606, 266-1674
 203 Idlehour Drive, Lexington, Ky. 40502
Recorder—Gilbert C. Perrone Area Code 606, 277-6869
 P.O. Box 8016, Lexington, Ky. 40503

REPRESENTATIVES

Fred Bryant (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) Area Code 606, 252-7222
 c/o Fred Bryant Motor Co., P.O. Box 1808, Lexington, Ky. 40501
Automobile Dealer
 Edmund H. Bouton (P) Area Code 502, 227-7431
 210 West Main Street, Frankfort, Ky. 40601
Osteopathic Physician
 Earl R. McDaniel (C.R.) Area Code 606, 266-1674
 203 Idlehour Drive, Lexington, Ky. 40502
City of Lexington Fire Chief
 Kenneth V. O'Neal (A.R.) Area Code 606, 277-5334
 Route No. 1, Nicholasville Road, Lexington, Ky. 40503
Kentucky Utilities—Engineering Dept.
 Robert J. Turley (P.P.) Area Code 606, 255-2920
 503 First Federal Building, Lexington, Ky. 40507
Attorney

126 OMAR TEMPLE (ō'mâr).....**Charleston, S.C.**
40-44 E. Battery

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation December 27, 1906 Charter May 8, 1907

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,548

Potentate—A. J. M. Wannamaker.....Area Code 803, JE 4-6044
Route 5, Box 12, Orangeburg, S.C. 29115

Chief Rabban—Carl F. Bradley, Jr.....Area Code 803, 873-8961
P.O. Box 862, Summerville, S. C. 29483

Recorder—Hugo A. Pearce.....Area Code 803, RA 3-4819
P.O. Box 480, Charleston, S.C. 29401

REPRESENTATIVES

A. J. M. Wannamaker (P).....Area Code 803, JE 4-6044
Route 5, Box 12, Orangeburg, S.C. 29115

Owner, Orange Cotton Mills

D. Dixon Lee (P.P.).....Area Code 803, 774-2107
P.O. Box 207, Dillon, S.C. 29536

Oil Distributor

Robert S. Reese (P.P.).....Area Code 803, MO 2-5274
P.O. Box 366, Florence, S.C. 29501

Accountant

John W. Turner (P.P.).....Area Code 803, 5-2121
Cottageville, S.C. 29435

Contractor

127 ORAK TEMPLE (ō'rāk).....**Hammond, Indiana**
45 Muenich Court

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Thursday of each month except
July and August.

Dispensation April 27, 1909 Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,021

Potentate—N. Reed Merriam.....Area Code 219, 663-4302
302 South Main Street, Crown Point, Indiana 46307

Chief Rabban—Walter Thornton.....Area Code 219, 932-3174
6915 Hohman Avenue, Hammond, Indiana 46324

Recorder—Leroy C. McCullum.....Area Code 219, 931-2230
45 Muenich Court, Hammond, Indiana 46320

REPRESENTATIVES

N. Reed Merriam (P).....Area Code 219, 663-4302
302 S. Main St., Crown Point, Ind. 46307

Funeral Director

Walter Thornton (C.R.).....Area Code 219, 932-3174
6915 Hohman Avenue, Hammond, Indiana 46324

Insurance

Raymond M. Fox, Jr. (A.R.).....Area Code 219, 872-7261
Merchants Nat'l. Bank Bldg., Michigan City, Indiana 46360

Attorney

Walter A. MacNary (P.P. & Treas.)....Area Code 219, 932-6581
228 Dyer Blvd., Hammond, Indiana 46320

Insurance

128 ORIENTAL TEMPLE (ōrĭ ĕn'täl) Troy, New York
P.O. Box 124

Date of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation February 7, 1877 Charter February 27, 1877

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,841

Potentate—Orville C. Gowie Area Code 518, BE 5-2246
1010—2nd Ave., Troy, N.Y. 12182

Chief Rabban—Frederick G. Geiger Telephone VI 3-0352
47 Wilkes Ave., Amsterdam, N.Y. 12010

Recorder—George F. Kalbus Area Code 518, AS 4-1321
P.O. Box 124, Troy, N.Y. 12181

REPRESENTATIVES

Orville C. Gowie (P.) Area Code 518, BE 5-2246
1010—2nd Ave., Troy, N.Y. 12182
Commercial Manager, Radio Station

Frederick G. Geiger (C.R.) Telephone VI 3-0352
47 Wilkes Ave., Amsterdam, N.Y. 12010
Salesman

George E. Fake Telephone RX 2-7190
1 Holman Ave., Glens Falls, N.Y. 12108
Salesman

George C. Snare Telephone FR 2-6859
434 Filmore Ave., Schenectady, N.Y. 12304
Machinist, G. E. Co.

129 OSIRIS TEMPLE (ō sĭrĭs) Wheeling, W. Va.
Monument Place, Elm Grove

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday, except July and August.

Dispensation July 22, 1886 Charter June 20, 1887

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,590

Potentate—Rollin P. Johnson Area Code 304, 242-1516
1516 Atlas Road, Wheeling, W. Va. 26003

Chief Rabban—Walter C. Polley Area Code 304, 845-2731
703 Wheeling Avenue, Glen Dale, W. Va. 26038

Recorder—Charles S. McElroy Area Code 304, 242-2911
P.O. Box 2096, Elm Grove Station, Wheeling, W. Va. 26002

REPRESENTATIVES

Rollin P. Johnson (P.) Area Code 304, 242-1516
1516 Atlas Road, Wheeling, W. Va. 26003
Sec'y & Treas., Wheeling Machine Products Co.

Walter C. Polley (C.R.) Area Code 304, 845-2731
703 Wheeling Avenue, Glen Dale, W. Va. 26038
Optometrist

Leonard E. Van Dyne (P.P.) Area Code 614, WA 6-1063
R.D. No. 1, Alledonia, Ohio 43902
Retired Merchant

William E. Smith Area Code 304, 242-5098
8 Clay Avenue, Wheeling, W. Va. 26002
Foreman, Wheeling Machine Products Co.

130 OSMAN TEMPLE (ōs'măn) St. Paul, Minnesota

130 No. Smith Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 4th Monday of each month.

Dispensation June 20, 1885 Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,867

Potentate—Fred T. Christensen Area Code 612, 646-2541
5645—19th Ave. South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55406*Chief Rabban*—John H. Hanna Area Code 612, 222-1748
627 E. Viking Drive, St. Paul, Minnesota 55117*Recorder*—Bennard G. Ratzlaff Area Code 612, 222-0738
130 North Smith Ave., St. Paul, Minnesota 55102**REPRESENTATIVES**Walter G. Seeger (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . . Area Code 612, 776-1531
850 Arcade St., St. Paul, Minnesota 55106*Retired*Tom S. Rishworth (*Emeritus*) Area Code 612, 222-2586
823 E. 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota 55101*Insurance*Fred T. Christensen (P.) Area Code 612, 646-2541
5645—19th Ave., South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55406*Owner, American Rug Laundry*John H. Hanna (C.R.) Area Code 612, 222-1748
627 E. Viking Drive, St. Paul, Minnesota 55117*Insurance*Kenneth O. Johnson (P.P.) Area Code 612, 225-7829
671 Josephine Place, St. Paul, Minnesota 55116*Contractor*Sigurd A. Bertelsen (P.P.) Area Code 612, 222-8011
1241 Delaware, St. Paul, Minnesota 55118*Postmaster, St. Paul***131 PALESTINE TEMPLE (pal'ēs tīn) Cranston, R. I.**

One Rhodes Place

Dates of Stated Meetings, at call of Potentate.

Charter January 28, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,621

Potentate—Bertram Clarke Area Code 401, FO 4-7276
P.O. Box No. 121, Carolina, R.I. 02812*Chief Rabban*—William F. Raymond . . Area Code 401, PA 5-1285
27 Bart Drive, Pawtucket, R.I. 02860*Recorder*—Carl R. Mitchell Area Code 401, HO 7-7100
One Rhodes Place, Cranston, R.I. 02905**REPRESENTATIVES**Bertram Clarke (P.) Area Code 401, FO 4-7276
P.O. Box No. 121, Carolina, R.I. 02812*General Contractor*William F. Raymond (C.R.) Area Code 401, PA 5-1285
27 Bart Drive, Pawtucket, R.I. 02860*Barrel Mfgr.*Edward L. Freeman, Jr. (A.R.) Area Code 401, CH 5-3006
4 Nathaniel Road, Barrington, R.I. 02806*Printer*Alvin R. Kulz (P.P.) Area Code 401, ST 1-3702
223 Richmond Drive, Warwick, R.I., 02888*Business Equipment*

132 PHILAE TEMPLE (phī'lē) **Halifax, N.S.**

5835 College Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Call of Potentate.

Dispensation July 12, 1911 Charter May 13, 1913

Membership January 1, 1964, 896

Potentate—Sinclair A. Myers Area Code 902, 423-1881
1055 Lucknow St. Park Plaza, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Chief Rabban—Frank Leonard Townsend Area Code 902, 455-8623
203 Nightengale Drive, Rockingham, Halifax Co., Nova Scotia

Recorder—R. Vans Hogan Area Code 902, 423-6048
5835 College Street, Halifax, Nova Scotia

REPRESENTATIVES

Sinclair A. Myers (P.) Area Code 902, 423-1881
1055 Lucknow St., Park Plaza, Halifax, Nova Scotia
Chief Train Dispatcher

R. M. Barrett Telephone 578-5756
22 Cornwall Ave., St. John's, Newfoundland
Undertaker

R. F. Horne Area Code 902, 422-5525
1604 Preston, Halifax, Nova Scotia
Maintenance Manager

133 PYRAMID TEMPLE (pīr'ă mīd) . . . **Bridgeport, Conn.**

1035 State Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday of each month.

Dispensation April 18, 1877 Charter February 7, 1878

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,621

Potentate—Clifford W. Mills, M.D. . . . Area Code 203, VO 6-6082
65 East Ave., Norwalk, Conn. 06851

Chief Rabban—James H. Watt Area Code 203, 374-0979
56 Higgins Ave., Bridgeport, Conn. 06606

Recorder—William F. Booth (P.P.) . . . Area Code 203, 333-5003
1035 State Street, Bridgeport, Conn. 06605

REPRESENTATIVES

Clifford W. Mills, M.D. (P.) Area Code 203, VO 6-6082
65 East Ave., Norwalk, Conn. 06851
Surgeon

James H. Watt, (C.R.) Area Code 203, 374-0979
56 Higgins Ave., Bridgeport, Conn. 06606
Sales Manager

Louis S. Orsage Area Code 203, 333-4767
108 Midland Street, Bridgeport, Conn. 06605
Supervisor

André M. Racine Area Code 203, 375-6685
382 Franklin Ave., Stratford, Conn. 06497
Garage Owner

134 RAJAH TEMPLE (râ'jâ) Reading, Pennsylvania

136 N. 6th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, At the call of the Potentate.

Dispensation August 16, 1892 Charter June 14, 1893

Membership January 1, 1964, 6,836

Potentate—George L. Markley Area Code 215, 777-6472
200 Brookline Plaza, Reading, Pa. 19602*Chief Rabban*—J. Richard Weaver Area Code 215, 857-3915
515 Washington Lane, Coatesville, Pa. 19320*Recorder*—Jacob F. Hertzog (P.P.) Area Code 215, 373-4521
136 N. 6th St., Reading, Pa. 19601**REPRESENTATIVES**George L. Markley (P.) Area Code 215, 777-6472
200 Brookline Plaza, Reading, Pa. 19602
*CPA (Accounting Firm)*J. Richard Weaver (C.R.) Area Code 215, 384-0185
515 Washington Lane, Coatesville, Pa. 19320
*Automobile Dealer (Rambler)*George S. Steinmetz Area Code 717, 866-2955
Park & Church Sts., Richland, Pa. 17087
*Automobile Dealer (Oldsmobile)*Roland D. Haas Area Code 215, 777-6472
200 Brookline Plaza, Reading, Pa. 19602
*Accountant***135 RAMESES TEMPLE (răm'ě sēs) . . Toronto, Ont., Can.**

1395 Lake Shore Blvd., West, Toronto 3, Ontario

Dates of Stated Meetings, On Call of Potentate.

Dispensation April 21, 1887 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,153

Potentate—Percy C. Bolton Area Code 416, RO 9-4226
2559 Bloor St. West, Apartment 307, Toronto 9, Ontario, Canada*Chief Rabban*—Ken Coope Area Code 416, LI 9-4684
707 Barton Street East, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada*Recorder*—Gordon C. Robinson Area Code 416, LE 7-3197
1395 Lake Shore Blvd., West, Toronto 3, Ontario, Canada**REPRESENTATIVES**Percy C. Bolton (P.) Area Code 416, RO 9-4226
2559 Bloor St. West, Toronto 9, Ontario, Canada
*President, Alton Machinery*Ken Coope (C.R.) Area Code 416, LI 9-4684
707 Barton St. East, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada
*Real Estate & Insurance*Charles W. Emmett (A.R.) Area Code 416, CL 5-3407
27 Colwood Road, Islington, Ontario, Canada
*President—(Acoustic Tile Manufacturer)*Fred G. McBrien (P.P.) Area Code 416, 366-6407
80 York Street, Toronto 1, Ontario, Canada
Office Furniture

136 RIZPAH TEMPLE (řiz'pâ) Madisonville, Ky.

Masonic Building, 63 N. Main St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Thursday after first Monday.

Dispensation July 15, 1908

Charter June 9, 1909

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,641

Potentate—Ben M. Strother Area Code 502, 826-3516
104 North Elm St., Henderson, Ky. 42420

Chief Rabban—Joel G. Hurley Area Code 502, 821-6609
583 Bishop Ave., Madisonville, Ky. 42431

Recorder—Oral H. O'Bryan Area Code 502, 821-3187
P.O. Box 327, Madisonville, Ky. 42431

REPRESENTATIVES

Ben M. Strother (P.) Area Code 502, 826-3516
104 N. Elm, Henderson, Ky. 42420
Attorney

Joel G. Hurley (C.R.) Area Code 502, 821-6609
583 Bishop Ave., Madisonville, Ky. 42431
Hardware Owner and Advertising Consultant

S. Ernest Parrish (A.R.) Telephone 527-6701
503 Green Hill, Benton, Ky. 42025
Electrician for T.V.A.

Wylie E. Jones (H.P. & P.) Area Code 502, 365-6131
P.O. Box 642, Princeton, Ky. 42445
Railroader

137 SAHARA TEMPLE (să hâr'â) Pine Bluff, Ark.

308 West Second Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Tuesday each month and on Call
of Potentate.

Dispensation April 16, 1889

Charter June 23, 1890

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,394

Potentate—Edward W. Brockman, Jr. . . Area Code 501, JE 4-2551
609 Simmons Building, Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71602

Chief Rabban—James F. McLellan, Jr. . Area Code 501, JE 4-1250
P.O. Box 775, Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71602

Recorder—W. Ellis Arnold Area Code 501, JE 4-3392
P.O. Box 728, Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71602

REPRESENTATIVES

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Attorney

James F. McLellan, Jr. (C.R.) Area Code 501, JE 4-1250
P.O. Box 775, Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71602
Insurance Agent

Morlan F. Prickett (A.R.) Area Code 501, JE 5-2187
1000 W. 22nd Ave., Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71601
Merchant

W. Ellis Arnold (Rec.) Area Code 501, JE 4-3392
P.O. Box 728, Pine Bluff, Arkansas 71601
Recorder and Asst. Director of Rates and Research

138 SALAAM TEMPLE (să lâm'). . Livingston, New Jersey
369 East Mt. Pleasant Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Monday, Jan., March, June, Sept.
Dispensation April 1, 1903 Charter July 9, 1903

Membership January 1, 1964, 7,614

Potentate—Thomas O. Conklin.Area Code 201, OR 3-2440
243 South Harrison Street, East Orange, N.J. 07018

Chief Rabban—Roger F. Evers.Area Code 201, JE 8-6121
15 Abingdon Street, Morris Plains, N.J. 07950

Recorder—J. Howard Samo.Area Code 201, 992-1111
369 East Mt. Pleasant Ave., Livingston, N.J. 07039

REPRESENTATIVES

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Heating Engineer

Palmer D. Burde (A.R.).Area Code 201, PL 9-2025
490 Union Avenue, Belleville, N.J. 07109
Dentist

Jacob A. Wingerter (P.P.).Area Code 201, RE 1-7035
149 Mt. Pleasant Avenue, West Orange, N.J. 07052
Engineer

139 SALADIN TEMPLE (săl'ă dîn). . Grand Rapids, Mich.
233 Fulton Street S.E.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 16, June 6, Oct. 19, 1964.

Dispensation April 27, 1886 Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,342

Potentate—Henry C. Martens.Telephone GL 9-8346
900 Assn. of Commerce Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich. 49502

Chief Rabban—John J. Straayer.Telephone EM 3-0807
485 Marywood Dr. N.E., Grand Rapids, Mich. 49505

Recorder—Claude L. Goldner.Telephone GL 9-5887
233 Fulton St. S.E., Grand Rapids, Mich. 49506

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Salesman

Eugene G. Slep.Telephone GL 2-3062
2422 Madison S.E., Grand Rapids, Mich 49507
Presbyterian Clergyman

Edward L. Howard.Telephone 344-6841
1005 Portage St., Kalamazoo, Mich. 49001
Printer

140 SCIMITAR TEMPLE (šim'ĩ tār) . . . Little Rock, Ark.

2100 Main Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 1st Friday each month.

Dispensation June 24, 1937 Charter June 8, 1938

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,057

Potentate—R. E. (Jack) Bush. Area Code 501, MO 6-1197
303 North Woodrow, Little Rock, Arkansas 72205

Chief Rabban—Robert R. Stair. Area Code 501, MO 6-1517
45 Shannon Drive, Little Rock, Arkansas 72207

Recorder—Quinn Glover. Area Code 501, FR 2-6323
P.O. Box 5005, Little Rock, Arkansas 72206

REPRESENTATIVES

Walter C. Guy (*Ad Vitam and Emeritus*) (★★★★★)
Area Code 501, SK 3-2335
211 Plainview Circle, North Little Rock, Arkansas 72116

Retired

Quinn Glover (*Emeritus*) (Rec.) Area Code 501, FR 2-6323
P.O. Box 5005, Little Rock, Arkansas 72206

Attorney

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45 Shannon Drive, Little Rock, Arkansas 72207

West End Lumber Co.

Paul H. Dixon (A.R.) Area Code 501, FR 4-5308
Rt. 18, Box 154, Little Rock, Arkansas 72206

Dairyman

J. Harry Leggett (P.P.) Area Code 501, FR 2-2112
1000 West Capitol, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Funeral Director

141 SESOSTRIS TEMPLE (sē sōs'trīs) Lincoln, Neb.

332 So. 15th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Friday of each month excepting
June, July and August.

Dispensation June 22, 1887 Charter June 25, 1888

Membership January 1, 1964, 3,334

Potentate—Robert P. Stephens. Area Code 402, 477-3911
2911 So. 29th St., Lincoln, Nebraska 68502

Chief Rabban—Merle M. Hale. Area Code 402, 477-0551
1915 D St., Lincoln, Nebraska 68502

Recorder—Raymond J. Cederdahl. Area Code 402, 435-2144
332 So. 15th St., P.O. Box 446, Lincoln, Nebraska 68501

REPRESENTATIVES

Robert P. Stephens (P.) Area Code 402, 477-3911
2911 So. 29th St., Lincoln, Nebraska 68502

Owner, Bob Stephens & Assoc. Adv. Co.

Merle M. Hale (C.R.) Area Code 402, 477-0551
1915 D St., Lincoln, Nebraska 68502

Executive Vice Pres., Lincoln Tel. & Tel. Co.

Sidney S. Anderson (A.R.) Area Code 402, 435-3246
1616 So. 58th St., Lincoln, Nebraska 68505

President, Latsch, Bros., Inc.

Homer T. "Pat" Burt. Area Code 402, 488-6762
3820 Van Dorn, Lincoln, Nebraska 68506

Dept. Mgr., Miller & Paine

142 SHARON TEMPLE.....Tyler, Texas

219 No. Broadway

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Friday each month.

Dispensation July 5, 1962 Charter July 10, 1963

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,208

Potentate—R. E. "Peppy" Blount.....Area Code 214, PL 8-2733

P.O. Box 1227, Longview, Texas 75603

Chief Rabbhan—Eugene W. Oliver....Area Code 214, LY 4-7425

P.O. Box 777, Tyler, Texas 75702

Recorder—S. D. "Dick" Gullede.....Area Code 214, LY 3-8338

P.O. Box 1358, Tyler, Texas 75702

REPRESENTATIVES

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P.O. Box 1227, Longview Texas 75603

Attorney

Eugene W. Oliver (C.R.).....Area Code 214, LY 4-7425

P.O. Box 777, Tyler Texas 75702

Oldsmobile Dealer

H. E. Jenkins (P.P.).....Area Code 214, LY 4-4351

c/o Tyler Junior College, Tyler Texas 75705

President, Tyler Jr. College

H. H. Spragins (P.P.).....Area Code 214, LY 4-6325

P.O. Box 567, Tyler, Texas 75702

*Vice Pres., Clanahan Construction Co.***143 SPHINX TEMPLE (sphīnx).....Hartford, Conn.**

Mezzanine Floor, Hotel Bond

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Wednesday each month, except
July and August.

Dispensation April 27, 1896 Charter June 24, 1896

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,327

Potentate—Emory R. Morse.....Area Code 203, GL 3-2725

84 Cherry Street, Guilford, Conn. 06437

Chief Rabbhan—Frederick W. Becher....Area Code 203, 522-3231

129 Robeth Lane, Wethersfield, Conn. 06109

Recorder—Wallace G. Bailey.....Area Code 203, 527-3355

P.O. Box 207, Hartford, Conn: 06101

REPRESENTATIVESHarold C. Close (*Ad Vitam*) (★★★★★)

Lochinvar Farm, Scotland, Conn. 06264

Area Code 203, HA 3-3409

Retired Manufacturer

Emory R. Morse (P.).....Area Code 203, GL 3-2725

84 Cherry Street, Guildford, Conn. 06437

Manufacturer—Laboratory Foods

Frederick W. Becher (C.R.).....Area Code 203, 522-3231

129 Robeth Lane, Wethersfield, Conn. 06109

President, Heating Equipment Corp.

Stanley E. Peterson (A.R.).....Area Code 203, GI 3-4374

190 Howard Street, New London, Conn. 06301

Executive, Turbine Manufacturing

James A. Gray.....Area Code 203, 677-9453

Dawn Acres, Farmington, Conn. 06032

Executive, Electrical Supplies

144 SUDAN TEMPLE (soodăn') **New Bern, N.C.**
P.O. Drawer 1350

Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 23, May 21, Sept. 17, Nov. 5, 1964.
Dispensation July 13, 1916 Charter June 26, 1917
Membership January 1, 1964, 6,971

Potentate—Herbert B. Ruffin Telephone TE 2-8316
P.O. Box 2538, Raleigh, N.C. 27602

Chief Rabban—Harvey W. Smith
P.O. Box 38, Beaufort, N.C. 28516

Recorder—Nelson B. Banks Telephone 637-5197
P.O. Drawer 1350, New Bern, N.C. 28561

REPRESENTATIVES

Otis M. Banks (P.P.) Telephone
411 So. Harrison, Cary, N.C.

Nelson B. Banks (Rec.) Telephone 637-5197
P.O. Drawer 1350, New Bern, N.C. 28561

Sam S. Toler, Jr. (P.P.) Telephone GI 6-5808
P.O. Box 1001, Rocky Mount, N.C. 27801

Building Contractor

Charles A. Harris (P.P.) Telephone TE 3-0674
P.O. Box 6506, Raleigh, N.C. 27602

Grand Secretary, Grand Lodge of North Carolina

145 SUEZ TEMPLE (soo ěz') **San Angelo, Texas**
333 West Avenue C

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Monday each month except June
and July.

Dispensation June 22, 1950 Charter July 11, 1951
Membership January 1, 1964, 2,265

Potentate—Martin G. Browne Area Code 915, OX 4-5164
4504 Andrews Highway, Midland, Texas 79704

Chief Rabban—John D. Bright Area Code 915, 653-2386
P.O. Box 4078, San Angelo, Texas 76902

Recorder—Ben E. Godfrey Area Code 915, 653-6802
P.O. Box 1988, San Angelo, Texas 76902

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Div. Mgr., Hillmac, Inc.

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General & Mechanical Contractor

Robert H. Augustinus (H.P. & P.) Area Code 915.
2660 W. Twohig Street, San Angelo, Texas

Ted O. Groebl (P.P.)
P.O. Box 630, Big Spring, Texas

- 146 SYRIA TEMPLE** (sir'ya) **Pittsburgh, Pa.**
 4423 Bigelow Boulevard
 Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 8, May 23, Sept., Dec. 12.
 Dispensation May 19, 1877 Charter February 6, 1878
 Membership January 1, 1964, 26,525
Potentate—William G. Haile Area Code 412, 322-3124
 1280 Ridge Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15233
Chief Rabban—Charles E. Palmer Area Code 412, 461-5023
 11 Colonial Drive, McKeesport, Pa. 15135
Recorder—James A. Wieland Area Code 412, 621-8700
 4423 Bigelow Blvd., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15213

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Retired
 Clarence M. Sheasley (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) Area Code 412, 961-0402
 2709 Mt. Royal Blvd., Glenshaw, Pa. 15116
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Manufacturers Representative
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 11 Colonial Drive, McKeesport, Pa. 15135
Bank President
 William H. Latimer, Jr. (P.P.) Area Code 421, 232-5465
 6902 Yorkshire Road, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15208
Bank Executive
 Kenneth T. Paxton (P.P.) Telephone 461-5300, Ext. 220
 1217 Fawcett Ave., McKeesport, Pa. 15135
Executive, G. C. Murphy Co., McKeesport, Pa.

- 147 SYRIAN TEMPLE** (sir'i än) **Cincinnati, Ohio**
 217 Wm. Howard Taft Rd.
 Dates of Stated Meetings, Jan. 12th, Feb. 6th, March 23rd,
 April 13th, May 11th, Oct. 12th, Nov. 16th.
 Dispensation February 6, 1877 Charter February 6, 1877
 Membership January 1, 1964, 7,245
Potentate—Armor C. Moreland Area Code 513, 261-0146
 1021 Madison Avenue, Covington, Kentucky 41011
Chief Rabban—Oscar W. Hirschfeld Area Code 513, 721-5730
 9045 Indian Ridge Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45243
Recorder—Edward G. Pfifferling Area Code 513, 751-3800
 217 Wm. Howard Taft Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45219

REPRESENTATIVES

- Lynn R. Van Ness (H.P. & P.) Area Code 513, 213-9061
 1251 Immaculate Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45230
 Oscar W. Hirschfeld (C.R.) Area Code 513, 721-5730
 9045 Indian Ridge Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45243
Investments Broker, Stranahan Harris & Co.—Partner
 Winfield W. Tripp (A.R.) Area Code 513, 931-3483
 7849 Bobolink Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45224
Personnel Director, Cinn. & Sun. Bell Tel. Co.
 Harry M. Bader (P.P.) Area Code 513-481-4265
 3517 Fyffe Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45211
Owner, Boat House Coffee & Tea Company

148 TADMOR TEMPLE (tad'môr).....Akron, Ohio

578 East Market St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday each month.

Dispensation June 5, 1924

Charter June 4, 1925

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,151

Potentate—Howard C. Rodgers.....Area Code 216, 773-5131

47 South Wheaton Road, Akron, Ohio 44313

Chief Rabban—Earl S. Hollen.....Area Code 216, 535-9186

791 East Market Street, Akron, Ohio 44305

Recorder—John G. Evans.....Area Code 216, 535-2169

578 East Market Street, Akron, Ohio 44304

REPRESENTATIVES

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2010 First Nat'l. Tower, Akron, Ohio 44308

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47 South Wheaton Road, Akron, Ohio 44313

Chairman of the Board, Yankee Lines, Inc.

Earl S. Hollen (C.R.).....Area Code 216, 535-9186

791 East Market Street, Akron, Ohio 44305

Funeral Director, Adams Funeral Home

George T. Carper (A.R.).....Area Code 216, 253-0283

33 South Arlington Street, Akron, Ohio 44306

Owner & Mgr., Carper Bros. Service

Pres., Carper-Caipen Corp., Car Rental

A. J. B. Miller (P.P.).....Area Code 216, 456-7388

616 First Nat'l. Bank Bldg., Canton, Ohio 44702

Representative of Acacia Mutual Life, Ins. Co.

149 TANGIER TEMPLE (tăn jîr').....Omaha, Nebraska

405 Farnam Building

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Thursday each month excepting
June, July and August.

Dispensation April 15, 1889

Charter June 23, 1890

Membership January 1, 1964, 5,030

Potentate—William F. Kunold.....Area Code 402, 733-1111

4425 South 24th Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68107

Chief Rabban—Luther J. Thompson....Area Code 402, 731-4980

920 Livestock Exchange Bldg., Omaha, Nebraska 68107

Recorder—Paul H. Palmquist.....Area Code 402, 342-1956

405 Farnam Building, Omaha, Nebraska 68102

REPRESENTATIVES

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Retired

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920 Livestock Exchange Bldg., Omaha, Nebraska, 68107

Vice-Pres. and General Manager, Union Stockyards, Omaha

Herbert T. White (P.P.).....Area Code 402, 341-3636

522 Insurance Bldg., Omaha, Nebraska 68102

Attorney

Jerome Given (P.P.).....Area Code 402, 271-3497

1219 U.P. Hdqts Bldg., 1416 Dodge, Omaha, Nebraska 68102

Attorney, U.P.R.R.

150 TEBALA TEMPLE (tẽ bâ'lâ) Rockford, Illinois

327-329 North Main Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Wednesday each month, except
June, July, August and September or upon the call of the
Potentate.

Dispensation July 25, 1894 Charter September 2, 1895

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,605

Potentate—David L. Klontz Area Code 815, 968-2255

428 Park Avenue, Rockford, Illinois 61103

Chief Rabban—Dawn A. Smith Area Code 815, 963-0461

748 Joslyn Street, Rockford, Illinois 61107

Recorder—W. Clyde Oliver (P.P.) Area Code 815, 963-9932

327 North Main Street, Rockford, Illinois 61101

REPRESENTATIVES

W. Clyde Oliver (*Emeritus*) (P.P.-Rec.) Area Code 815, 963-9932

327 North Main Street, Rockford, Illinois 61101

Recorder

Clarence E. Werner (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) Area Code 815, 964-8722

Rockford News Tower, Rockford, Illinois 61104

Dentist

David L. Klontz (P.) Area Code 814, 968-2255

428 Park Avenue, Rockford, Illinois 61103

Funeral Director

Dawn A. Smith (C.R.) Area Code 815, 963-0461

748 Joslyn Street, Rockford, Illinois 61107

District Agent, Equitable Life Insurance Co. of Iowa

F. Eugene Morrison (A.R.) Area Code 815, 963-3451

618 East State Street, Rockford, Illinois 61104

President, Morrison Travel, Inc.

Allan C. Mallquist (P.P.) Area Code 815, 968-1809

1000 Samuelson Road, Rockford, Illinois 61109

President, Mallquist Butter & Egg Co.

151 TEHAMA TEMPLE (tẽ hâ'mâ) Hastings, Nebraska

411 North Hastings

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Monday each month.

Dispensation June 27, 1917 Charter June 6, 1918

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,401

Potentate—Earl B. Baldwin Area Code 402, 2-4185

1830 West 11th Street, Hastings, Nebraska 68901

Chief Rabban—Horace W. Shreck Area Code 402, 2-2171

422 North Hastings, Hastings, Nebraska 68901

Recorder—Edward H. Lockwood Area Code 402, 2-5813

P.O. Box 817, Hastings, Nebraska 68901

REPRESENTATIVES

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1830 West 11th Street, Hastings, Nebraska 68901

Vice President, Wilber Service, Inc. (Tire Distribution)

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Edward H. Lockwood, (Rec.) Area Code 402, 2-5813

P.O. Box 817, Hastings, Nebraska 68901

Homer C. Davey Area Code 402, 2-8023

1615 West 3rd Street, Hastings, Nebraska 68901

Retired Purchasing Agent

152 TEHRAN TEMPLE (tēr ān').....Fresno, Calif.
5666 E. Gettysburg

Dates of Stated Meetings, 3rd Friday, January, March, September
and November.

Dispensation June 10, 1948 Charter July 21, 1949

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,754

Potentate—Seymour C. Sterling.....Area Code 209, 875-2511
740 N Street, Sanger, Calif. 93657

Chief Rabban—Letus A. Wallace.....Area Code 209, 722-5771
1049 Colorado Ave., Merced, Calif. 95340

Recorder—Leo J. Green.....Area Code 209, 291-7114
5666 E. Gettysburg, Fresno, Calif. 93727

REPRESENTATIVES

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Shipper and Packer

Harry O. Beck (P.P.).....Area Code 209, 896-2251
7264 S. McCall, Selma, Calif. 93662

Restaurateur

153 TIGRIS TEMPLE (tī'grīs).....Syracuse, New York
Hotel Syracuse

Dates of Stated Meetings, At least four regular stated sessions.

Annual Meeting to be held 1st Wed. in Jan. after Jan. 1st.

Remaining held 3rd Wed. in May, September, December.

Dispensation June 16, 1921 Charter June 15, 1922

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,770

Potentate—Robert G. Evans.....Area Code 315, GR 4-3986
135 Dewitt Street, Syracuse, N.Y. 13203

Chief Rabban—Robert A. Henderson...Area Code 315, 474-3218
702 Livingston Avenue, Syracuse, N.Y. 13210

Recorder—Lyle L. Rulison.....Area Code 315, 422-0974
Hotel Syracuse, Syracuse, N.Y. 13202

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Robert A. Henderson (C.R.).....Area Code 315, 474-3218
702 Livingston Avenue, Syracuse, N.Y. 13210

Construction Supt., Lathing & Plastering

Sam Gilman
114 Marian Drive, Syracuse, N.Y. 13219

Theater Manager

Ralph W. Stirner.....Area Code 315, 454-9827
1701 Lemoyne Ave., P.O. Box 43, Mattydale, N.Y. 13211

Dealer, Storage Batteries

154 TRIPOLI TEMPLE (trīp'ō lī) Milwaukee, Wis.
3000 W. Wisconsin Ave.

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Wednesday each month.

Dispensation March 9, 1885 Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 9,200

Potentate—B. Howard Schaffer Area Code 414, ME 2-3260
3342 Taylor Avenue, Racine, Wisconsin 53405

Chief Rabban—Vernon M. Bushman . . Area Code 414, ED 6-4993
Route 2, De Pere, Wisconsin 54115

Recorder—Alfred W. Fiebig Area Code 414, WE 3-4700
3000 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53208

REPRESENTATIVES

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Area Code 516, AN 1-6619

Route 1, Box 913, North Port, L.I., New York 11768

Retired Insurance Broker

Henry F. Zarse (*Emeritus*) (P.P.) . . . Area Code 414, TW 5-7839
Rogers Memorial Hospital, Oconomowoc, Wisconsin 53066

Retired

B. Howard Schaffer (P.) Area Code 414, ME 2-3260
3342 Taylor Avenue, Racine, Wisconsin 53405

Retired

Vernon M. Bushman (C.R.) Area Code 414, ED 6-4993
Route 2, De Pere, Wisconsin 54115

Traffic Manager

Milton L. Meister (A.R.) Area Code 414, 644-5975
P.O. Box 117, West Bend, Wisconsin 53095

Judge, Circuit Court

Louis J. Best (P.P.) Area Code 414, WO 2-5451
4762 North Lake Drive, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211

President, Best Lumber Co.

155 WAHABI TEMPLE (wâ hâ'bē) . . . Jackson, Mississippi
1130 W. Capitol Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Third Thursday each month.

Dispensation July 12, 1911 Charter May 7, 1912

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,866

Potentate—Ralph T. Whitaker Area Code 601, FL 2-8813
2311 W. Capitol St., Jackson, Miss. 39209

Chief Rabban—H. Warren Tool, Jr. . . . Area Code 601, ID 2-8579
P.O. Box 12, Mississippi City, Miss. 39562

Recorder—Samuel E. Birdsong Area Code 601, FL 2-7012
P.O. Box 2750, Jackson, Miss. 39207

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Recorder

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Retail Grocer & Caterer

H. Warren Tool, Jr. (C.R.) Area Code 601, ID 2-8579
P.O. Box 12, Mississippi City, Miss. 39562

Special Agent, F.B.I.

A. H. Richter Area Code 601, 453-3051
P.O. Box 647, Greenwood, Miss. 38931

Postal Employee

Thomas V. Laird, Jr. Area Code 601, 732-6102
P.O. Box 27, Morton, Miss. 39117

Postmaster

156 WA-WA TEMPLE (wâ-'wâ) Regina, Saskatchewan
2065 Hamilton Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, at call of Potentate.

Dispensation December 1, 1910 Charter July 12, 1911

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,737

Potentate—G. W. C. Johns Area Code 306, 522-0816
2636 McCallum Avenue, Regina, Sask., Canada

Chief Rabban—M. R. Douglas Area Code 306, 536-3285
3131 Parliament Avenue, Regina, Sask., Canada

Recorder—Leonard J. Chase Area Code 306, 527-5570
2065 Hamilton Street, Regina, Sask., Canada

REPRESENTATIVES

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Manager

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Manager

N. Bruce McCannel (A.R.) Area Code 306, 523-9653
152 Connaught Cresc., Regina, Sask., Canada
Physician & Surgeon

H. C. Ireland
419 Avenue A, North, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada
City Police Inspector

157 YAARAB TEMPLE (yă'r'ăb) Atlanta, Georgia
400 Ponce de Leon Ave., N. E.

Dates of Stated Meetings, on call of Potentate.

Dispensation November 21, 1889 Charter June 23, 1890

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,091

Potentate—Robinson W. Schilling Area Code 404, JA 3-1461
P.O. Box 1234, Atlanta, Georgia 30301

Chief Rabban—Daniel D. Shermer . . . Area Code 404, TR 3-3659
1690 Peachtree Road, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30309

Recorder—Edward J. Hosch Area Code 404, TR 2-5818
400 Ponce de Leon Avenue, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30308

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P.O. Box 1234, Atlanta, Georgia 30301
Senior Vice-President, Bank of Georgia

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General Secty., Scottish Rite Bodies, Atlanta Consistory

Frank C. Berry (A.R.) Area Code 404, TR 2-6695
1574 Piedmont Avenue, N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309
Realtor

Frank R. Fling (H.P. & P.) Area Code 404, JA 2-5310
409 Courthouse Annex Bldg., Atlanta, Georgia 30303
Secty. to Board of Commissioners

158 YELDUZ TEMPLE (yǎl'dūz).....Aberdeen, S.D.

503 South Main Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Thursday each month.

Charter July 14, 1904

Membership January 1, 1964, 1,604

Potentate—Richard W. Hendry.....Area Code 605, 2391
Clark, S. Dak. 57225*Chief Rabban*—George M. Rich.....Area Code 605, 225-5284
22-17th Ave. S.W., Aberdeen, S. Dak. 57401*Recorder*—William M. Ferguson.....Area Code 605, 225-4841
P.O. Box 42, Aberdeen, S. Dak. 57401**REPRESENTATIVES**Richard W. Hendry (P.).....Area Code 605, 2391
Clark, S. Dak. 57225*Merchant and Farming*George M. Rich (C.R.).....Area Code 605, 225-5284
22-17th Ave. S.W., Aberdeen, S. Dak. 57401*Finance*Lloyd A. Johnson.....Area Code 605, 225-1946
1726 S. 4th St., Aberdeen, S. Dak. 57401*Retired*Leo F. Ward.....Area Code 605, TU 6-5612
61-5th Ave. N.W., Watertown, S. Dak. 57201*Restaurant Owner***159 ZA-GA-ZIG TEMPLE (zǎ'gǎ-zīg)...Des Moines, Iowa**

1006 Grand Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, January 14, April 3, August 3, November 20.

Charter May 23, 1900

Membership January 1, 1964, 6,893

Potentate—Erman L. Dutcher.....Area Code 515, WO 4-4261
Ankeny, Iowa 50021*Chief Rabban*—James F. Irish.....Area Code 515, 967-4264
101 2nd St., S.E., Altoona, Iowa 50009*Recorder*—Roy C. Carlson.....Area Code 515, 243-6171
1006 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50309**REPRESENTATIVES**Erman L. Dutcher (P.).....Area Code 515, WO 4-4261
Ankeny, Iowa 50021*Mill Owner*James F. Irish (C.R.).....Area Code 515, 967-4264
101 2nd St., S.E. Altoona, Iowa 50009*Attorney*Ted Cutler (A.R.).....Area Code 515, 243-4275
625 S.W. 9th St., Des Moines, Iowa 50309*Plumbing Business*Karl M. McCulloch (P.P.).....Area Code 515, CR 7-8626
950 35th St., Des Moines, Iowa 50312*Realtor*

160 ZAMORA TEMPLE (zāmō'râ) . . Birmingham, Alabama
531 North 19th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, At Call.
Dispensation November 10, 1890 Charter June 9, 1891

Membership January 1, 1964, 8,919

Potentate—J. S. KennamerArea Code 205, 595-2134
531 North 19th Street, Birmingham, Alabama

Chief Rabban—John E. GammillArea Code 205, 822-0644
P.O. Box 831, Birmingham, Alabama

Recorder—J. W. PreddyArea Code 205, 251-1223
531 North 19th Street, Birmingham, Alabama

REPRESENTATIVES

George A. Mattison, Jr. (*Ad Vitam and Emeritus*) (★★★★★)
Area Code 205, AL 4-3553
701 Transportation Bldg., Birmingham, Ala.

Industrialist

J. S. Kennamer (P.)Area Code 205, 595-2134
531 North 19th Street, Birmingham, Alabama

Salesman

John E. Gammill (C.R.)Area Code 205, 822-0644
P.O. Box 831, Birmingham, Alabama

Salesman

James R. MaxwellArea Code 205, 758-2107
203 Court House Bldg., Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Tax Assessor, Tuscaloosa County

J. Edgar BowronArea Code 205, FA-3-5311
305 Court House, Birmingham, Alabama

Presiding Judge, Tenth Judicial Circuit

161 ZEMBO TEMPLE (zēm'bō)Harrisburg, Pa.
3rd and Division Sts.

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Friday except in January, when
Friday falls on January 1.

Charter July 14, 1904

Membership January 1, 1964, 9,801

Potentate—J. Edwin WeigleArea Code 717, 545-7471
3508 Cloverfield Road, Harrisburg, Pa. 17109

Chief Rabban—J. Herbert Raymond . . .Area Code 717, 344-4010
66 E. Broadway, Gettysburg, Pa. 17325

Recorder—Robert A. WagnerArea Code 717, 238-8107
Zembo Mosque, 3rd & Division St., Harrisburg, Pa. 17110

REPRESENTATIVES

J. Edwin Weigle (P.)Area Code 717, 545-7471
3508 Cloverfield Road, Harrisburg, Pa. 17109

Post Office Employee

J. Herbert Raymond (C.R.)Area Code 717, 344-4010
66 E. Broadway, Gettysburg, Pa. 17325

Furniture Dealer

Harold E. McCormickArea Code 717, 545-1055
520 William Ave., Harrisburg, Pa. 17109

Pennsylvania Dept. of Highways

G. Donald JenkinsArea Code 717, 737-8391
2821 Fairview Rd., Camp Hill, Pa. 17011

Blue Shield

162 ZEM ZEM TEMPLE (zěm'zěm') . . . Erie, Pennsylvania

124 East 8th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, Annual—3rd Saturday, January;

At Call of Potentate.

Dispensation December 22, 1891 Charter August 16, 1892

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,791

Potentate—Robert S. Schluraff Area Code 814, GL 2-6484

202 Masonic Temple Bldg., Erie, Pa. 16501

Chief Rabban—Donald A. Schimmel . . . Area Code 814, GL 2-3363

2026 Buffalo Road, Erie, Pa. 16510

Recorder—J. Walter Fenner Area Code 814, GL 2-4502

124 East 8th Street, Erie, Pa. 16501

REPRESENTATIVES**O. Carlyle Brock (At Large) (★★★★★)** . . Area Code 814, GL 6-7064

521 East 18th Street, Erie, Pa. 16502

*Dairy Products***Robert S. Schluraff (P.)** Area Code 814, GL 2-6484

202 Masonic Temple Bldg., Erie, Pa. 16501

*Real Estate & Insurance***Donald A. Schimmel (C.R.)** Area Code 814, GL 2-3363

2026 Buffalo Road, Erie, Pa. 16510

*Building Contractor***James A. McKnight (P.P.)** Area Code 814, GL 4-1930

206 Masonic Temple Building, Erie, Pa. 16501

*Finance***Howard E. Kelly** Area Code 814, 432-3289

417—5th Street, Franklin, Pa. 16323

*City Treasurer, City of Franklin***163 ZENOBIA TEMPLE (zěn ō'bī-â) Toledo, Ohio**

1507 Madison Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Thursday each month except July and August.

Dispensation June 14, 1898 Charter June 15, 1899

Membership January 1, 1964, 4,698

Potentate—John V. Longberry Area Code 419, 422-7732

3320 Briarcliffe Drive, Findlay, Ohio 45840

Chief Rabban—Burton R. MacRitchie . . Area Code 419, 536-6211

3909 Estateway, Toledo, Ohio 43607

Recorder—H. Spencer Brott Area Code 419, 241-3189

1507 Madison Ave., Toledo, Ohio 43602

REPRESENTATIVES**Edwin F. Baertschi (Emeritus) (Treas.-P.P.)**

5369 Farmington Rd., Toledo, Ohio 43623

*Retired***John V. Longberry (P.)** Area Code 419, 422-7732

3320 Briarcliffe Drive, Findlay, Ohio 45840

*Painting Contractor***Burton R. MacRitchie (C.R.)** Area Code 419, 536-6211

3909 Estateway, Toledo, Ohio 43607

*Paving Contractor***Arthur W. Taylor (A.R.)** Area Code 419, 382-2821

2240 Burroughs Drive, Toledo, Ohio 43614

*Estimator (Cost)***Howard E. Smith (P.P.)** Area Code 419, 536-7743

2144 Fordway, Toledo, Ohio 43606

Physician

164 ZIYARA TEMPLE (zī yâ'râ) Utica, New York
Masonic Temple, 251 Genesee St.

Dates of Stated Meetings, First Wednesday or last Friday
each month.

Dispensation October 30, 1877 Charter July 1, 1878
Membership January 1, 1964, 2,281

Potentate—A. Edward Allen Area Code 315, RE 3-4663
820 Noyes Street, Utica, New York 13502

Chief Rabban—Andrew C. Treiber . . . Area Code 315, 735-9511
109 Paul Bldg., Utica, New York 13501

Recorder—Harry D. Nashold Area Code 315, RE 2-5328
251 Genesee Street, Utica, New York 13501

REPRESENTATIVES

A. Edward Allen (P.) Area Code 315, RE 3-4663
820 Noyes Street, Utica, New York 13502
Industrialist, Pres., Utica Cutlery Co.

Andrew C. Treiber (C.R.) Area Code 315, 735-9511
109 Paul Bldg., Utica, New York 13501
Insurance, Smith, Treiber & Wittig, Inc.

Charles F. Gorton Area Code 315, 732-5154
300 Broad Street, Utica, New York 13501
Owner of New York Wall Paper Co.

John Marko, Sr. Area Code 315, 1201 J 1
R.D. 2, River Road, Little Falls, New York 13365
Retired Restaurant Owner

165 ZOR TEMPLE (zōr) Madison, Wisconsin
301 Wisconsin Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Wednesday each month except
July and August.

Dispensation July 28, 1932 Charter July 12, 1933
Membership January 1, 1964, 5,529

Potentate—Winfield S. MacDonald . . . Area Code 414, 458-4249
507 Clement Avenue, Sheboygan, Wis. 53081

Chief Rabban—Lester C. Lee Area Code 608, 256-9046
1 West Main Street, Madison, Wis. 53703

Recorder—Howard I. Tuttle Area Code 608, 257-4245
301 Wisconsin Avenue, Box 689, Madison, Wis. 53703

REPRESENTATIVES

Winfield S. MacDonald (P.) Area Code 414, 458 4249
507 Clement Avenue, Sheboygan, Wis. 53081
Retired Utility Executive

Lester C. Lee (C.R.) Area Code 608, 256-9046
1 West Main Street, Madison, Wis. 53703
Attorney

Earl Sachse (P.P.) Area Code 608, 266-1304
46 Breese Terrace, Madison, Wis. 53705
Legislative Council, State of Wisconsin

William H. Rohde Area Code 715, 536-6754
113 So. Mills Street, Merrill, Wis. 54452
Pres., Gen. Mgr., Rhode's, Inc.

166 ZORAH TEMPLE (zō'râ) Terre Haute, Ind.
420 North 7th Street

Dates of Stated Meetings, 2nd Friday each month.

Dispensation June 9, 1909 Charter April 13, 1910

Membership January 1, 1964, 2,179

Potentate—Leroy A. Francis Telephone H-0845
2220 N. 10th Street, Terre Haute, Ind. 47804

Chief Rabban—William F. Tearman Telephone C-1355
405 S. 6th Street, Terre Haute, Ind. 47807

Recorder—Harry E. Briggs Telephone C-8232
420 N. 7th Street, Terre Haute, Ind. 47807

REPRESENTATIVES

Leroy A. Francis (P.) Telephone H-0845
2220 N. 10th Street, Terre Haute, Ind. 47804
Lawyer

Harold H. Giffel (A.R.) Telephone C-8038
3018 Fenwood Avenue, Terre Haute, Ind. 47803

Harry E. Briggs (Rec.) Telephone C-8232
420 N. 7th Street, Terre Haute, Ind. 47807
Retired Teacher

James R. Bouillez Telephone H-5189
24 Marigold Drive, Terre Haute, Ind. 47803
Typographer

167 ZUHRAH TEMPLE (zoo'râ) Minneapolis, Minn.
2540 Park Avenue

Dates of Stated Meetings, Second Friday each month.

Dispensation July 25, 1885 Charter June 14, 1886

Membership January 1, 1964, 11,892

Potentate—Ervin L. Haase Area Code 612, JA 2-3879
2614 Victory Memorial Drive, Minneapolis, Minn. 55412

Chief Rabban—Earl V. Ruedy Area Code 612, TA 3-0485
4820 10th Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minn. 55417

Recorder—Reuben R. Nelson Area Code 612, FE 5-4217
2540 Park Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn. 55404

REPRESENTATIVES

Ervin L. Haase (P.) Area Code 612, JA 2-3879
2614 Victory Memorial Drive, Minneapolis, Minn. 55412
Registered Pharmacist

Earl V. Ruedy (C.R.) Area Code 612, TA 3-0485
4820 10th Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minn. 55417
Food Merchant

L. A. Potter, Jr. Area Code 612, GR 1-9266
Route 2, Box 276B, Excelsior, Minn. 55331
Business Executive

Emil J. Beckstrom Area Code 612, 929-7123
4812 Bywood West, Minneapolis, Minn. 55424
Painting and Decorating Contractor

STATES WITH TEMPLES

January 1, 1964

Alabama.....	Abba, Alcazar and Zamora	Temples
Arizona.....	El Zaribah	Temple
Arkansas.....	Sahara and Scimitar	Temples
California.....	Aahmes, Al Bahr, Al Malaikah, Ben Ali, El Bekal Islam, and Tehran	Temples
Canal Zone.....	Abou Saad	Temple
Colorado.....	Al Kaly and El Jebel	Temple
Connecticut.....	Pyramid and Sphinx	Temple
Delaware.....	Nur	Temple
District of Columbia.....	Almas	Temple
Florida.....	Bahia, Egypt, Mahi, and Morocco	Tempes
Georgia.....	Alee, Al Sihah, Hasan and Yaarab	Temples
Hawaiian Islands.....	Aloha	Temple
Idaho.....	Calam and El Korah	Temples
Illinois.....	Ainad, Ansar, Medinah, Mohammed and Tehala	Temples
Indiana.....	Hadi, Mizpah, Murat, Orak and Zorah	Temples
Iowa.....	Abu Bekr, El Kahir, Kaaba, and Za-Ga-Zig	Temples
Kansas.....	Abdallah, Arab, Isis, Midian and Mirza	Temples
Kentucky.....	El Hasa, Kosair, Oleika and Rizpah	Temples
Louisiana.....	El Karubah and Jerusalem	Temples
Maine.....	Anah and Kora	Temples
Maryland.....	Ali Chan and Boumi	Temples
Massachusetts.....	Aleppo and Melha	Temples
Michigan.....	Ahmed, Elf Khurafeh, Moslem and Saladin	Temples
Minnesota.....	Aad, Osman and Zuhrah	Temples
Mississippi.....	Hamasa and Wahabi	Temples
Missouri.....	Abou Ben Adhem, Ararat, Moila and Moolah	Temples
Montana.....	Al Bedoo, Algeria, and Bagdad	Temples
Nebraska.....	Sesostris, Tangier and Tehama	Temples
Nevada.....	Kerak	Temple
New Hampshire.....	Bektash	Temple
New Jersey.....	Crescent and Salaam	Temples
New Mexico.....	Ballut Abyad	Temple
New York.....	Cyprus, Damascus, Ismailia, Kalurah, Kismet, Mecca, Media, Oriental, Tigris and Ziyara	Temples
North Carolina.....	Oasis and Sudan	Temples
North Dakota.....	El Zagal and Kem	Temples
Ohio.....	Aladdin, Al Koran, Antioch, Syrian, Tadmor and Zenobia	Temples
Oklahoma.....	Akdar, Bedouin and India	Temples
Oregon.....	Al Kader and Hillah	Temples
Pennsylvania.....	Irem, Jaffa, Lu Lu, Rajah, Syria, Zembo and Zem Zem	Temples
Rhode Island.....	Palestine	Temple
South Carolina.....	Hejaz and Omar	Temples
South Dakota.....	El Riad, Naja and Yelduz	Temples
Tennessee.....	Al Chymia, Alhambra, Al Menah and Kerbela	Temples
Texas.....	Alzafar, Arabia, Ben Hur, El Maida, El Mina, Hella, Karem, Khiva, Maskat, Moslah, Sharon, and Suez	Temples
Utah.....	El Kalah	Temple
Vermont.....	Cairo and Mount Sinai	Temples
Virginia.....	Acca, Kazim, Kena and Khedive	Temples
Washington.....	Affi, El Katif and Nile	Temples

West Virginia.....	Beni Kedem, Nemesis and Osiris	Temples
Wisconsin.....	Tripoli and Zor	Temples
Wyoming.....	Kalif and Korein	Temples
Canada.....	Al Azhar, Gizeh, Karnak, Khartum, Luxor, Mocha, Philae, Rameses, and Wa-Wa	Temples
Mexico.....	Anezeh	Temple

CITIES WITH TEMPLES

January 1, 1964

Aberdeen, South Dakota.....	Yelduz	Temple
Akron, Ohio.....	Tadmor	Temple
Albany, Georgia.....	Hasan	Temple
Albany, New York.....	Cyprus	Temple
Albuquerque, New Mexico.....	Ballut Abyad	Temple
Alexandria, Virginia.....	Kena	Temple
Altoona, Pennsylvania.....	Jaffa	Temple
Amarillo, Texas.....	Khiva	Temple
Ashland, Kentucky.....	El Hasa	Temple
Ashland, Oregon.....	Hillah	Temple
Atlanta, Georgia.....	Yaarab	Temple
Austin, Texas.....	Ben Hur	Temple
Baltimore, Maryland.....	Boumi	Temple
Bangor, Maine.....	Anah	Temple
Billings, Montana.....	Al Bedoo	Temple
Binghamton, New York.....	Kalurah	Temple
Birmingham, Alabama.....	Zamora	Temple
Boise, Idaho.....	El Korah	Temple
Boston, Massachusetts.....	Aleppo	Temple
Bridgeport, Connecticut.....	Pyramid	Temple
Brooklyn, New York.....	Kismet	Temple
Buffalo, New York.....	Ismailia	Temple
Butte, Montana.....	Bagdad	Temple
Calgary, Alberta.....	Al Azhar	Temple
Canal Zone.....	Abou Saad	Temple
Cedar Rapids, Iowa.....	El Kahir	Temple
Charleston, South Carolina.....	Omar	Temple
Charleston, West Virginia.....	Beni Kedem	Temple
Charlotte, North Carolina.....	Oasis	Temple
Chattanooga, Tennessee.....	Alhambra	Temple
Chicago, Illinois.....	Medinah	Temple
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	Syrian	Temple
Cleveland, Ohio.....	Al Koran	Temple
Columbus, Ohio.....	Aladdin	Temple
Concord, New Hampshire.....	Bektash	Temple
Cranston, Rhode Island.....	Palestine	Temple
Cumberland, Maryland.....	Ali Ghan	Temple
Dallas, Texas.....	Hella	Temple
Davenport, Iowa.....	Kaaba	Temple
Dayton, Ohio.....	Antioch	Temple
Deadwood, South Dakota.....	Naja	Temple
Denver, Colorado.....	El Jebel	Temple
Des Moines, Iowa.....	Za-Ga-Zig	Temple
Detroit, Michigan.....	Moslem	Temple
Duluth, Minnesota.....	Aad	Temple
East St. Louis, Illinois.....	Ainad	Temple
El Paso, Texas.....	El Maida	Temple
Erie, Pennsylvania.....	Zem Zem	Temple

Evansville, Indiana.....	Hadi	Temple
Fargo, North Dakota.....	El Zagal	Temple
Fort Wayne, Indiana.....	Mizpah	Temple
Fort Worth, Texas.....	Moslah	Temple
Fresno, California.....	Tehran	Temple
Galveston, Texas.....	El Mina	Temple
Grand Forks, North Dakota.....	Kem	Temple
Grand Rapids, Michigan.....	Saladin	Temple
Greenville, South Carolina.....	Hejaz	Temple
Halifax, Nova Scotia.....	Philae	Temple
Hammond, Indiana.....	Orak	Temple
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.....	Zembo	Temple
Hartford, Connecticut.....	Sphinx	Temple
Hastings, Nebraska.....	Tehama	Temple
Helena, Montana.....	Algeria	Temple
Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands.....	Aloha	Temple
Houston, Texas.....	Arabia	Temple
Indianapolis, Indiana.....	Murat	Temple
Jackson, Mississippi.....	Wahabi	Temple
Jacksonville, Florida.....	Morocco	Temple
Kansas City, Kansas.....	Abdallah	Temple
Kansas City, Missouri.....	Ararat	Temple
Knoxville, Tennessee.....	Kerbela	Temple
Lewiston, Idaho.....	Calam	Temple
Lewiston, Maine.....	Kora	Temple
Lexington, Kentucky.....	Oleika	Temple
Lincoln, Nebraska.....	Sesostri	Temple
Little Rock, Arkansas.....	Scimitar	Temple
London, Ontario.....	Mocha	Temple
Long Beach, California.....	El Bekal	Temple
Los Angeles, California.....	Al Malaikah	Temple
Louisville, Kentucky.....	Kosair	Temple
Macon, Georgia.....	Al Sihah	Temple
Madison, Wisconsin.....	Zor	Temple
Madisonville, Kentucky.....	Rizpah	Temple
Marquette, Michigan.....	Ahmed	Temple
Memphis, Tennessee.....	Al Chymia	Temple
Meridian, Mississippi.....	Hamasa	Temple
Mexico City, Mexico.....	Anezeh	Temple
Miami, Florida.....	Mahi	Temple
Milwaukee, Wisconsin.....	Tripoli	Temple
Minneapolis, Minnesota.....	Zuhrah	Temple
Mobile, Alabama.....	Abba	Temple
Montgomery, Alabama.....	Alcazar	Temple
Montpelier, Vermont.....	Mount Sinai	Temple
Montreal, Canada.....	Karnak	Temple
Muskogee, Oklahoma.....	Bedouin	Temple
Nashville, Tennessee.....	Al Menah	Temple
Newark, New Jersey.....	Salaam	Temple
New Bern, North Carolina.....	Sudan	Temple
New Orleans, Louisiana.....	Jerusalem	Temple
New York, New York.....	Mecca	Temple
Norfolk, Virginia.....	Khedive	Temple
Oakland, California.....	Aahmes	Temple
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.....	India	Temple
Omaha, Nebraska.....	Tangier	Temple
Orlando, Florida.....	Bahia	Temple
Parkersburg, West Virginia.....	Nemesis	Temple

Peoria, Illinois.....	Mohammed	Temple
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.....	Lu Lu	Temple
Phoenix, Arizona.....	El Zaribah	Temple
Pine Bluff, Arkansas.....	Sahara	Temple
Pittsburg, Kansas.....	Mirza	Temple
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.....	Syria	Temple
Portland, Oregon.....	Al Kader	Temple
Pueblo, Colorado.....	Al Kaly	Temple
Rawlins, Wyoming.....	Korein	Temple
Reading, Pennsylvania.....	Rajah	Temple
Regina, Saskatchewan.....	Wa-Wa	Temple
Reno, Nevada.....	Kerak	Temple
Richmond, Virginia.....	Acca	Temple
Roanoke, Virginia.....	Kazim	Temple
Rochester, New York.....	Damascus	Temple
Rockford, Illinois.....	Tebala	Temple
Rutland, Vermont.....	Cairo	Temple
Sacramento, California.....	Ben Ali	Temple
Saginaw, Michigan.....	Elf Khurafeh	Temple
St. John, New Brunswick.....	Luxor	Temple
St. Joseph, Missouri.....	Moila	Temple
St. Louis, Missouri.....	Moolah	Temple
St. Paul, Minnesota.....	Osman	Temple
Salina, Kansas.....	Isis	Temple
Salt Lake City, Utah.....	El Kalah	Temple
San Angelo, Texas.....	Suez	Temple
San Antonio, Texas.....	Alzafar	Temple
San Diego, California.....	Al Bahr	Temple
San Francisco, California.....	Islam	Temple
Savannah, Georgia.....	Alee	Temple
Seattle, Washington.....	Nile	Temple
Sheridan, Wyoming.....	Kalif	Temple
Shreveport, Louisiana.....	El Karubah	Temple
Sioux City, Iowa.....	Abu Bekr	Temple
Sioux Falls, South Dakota.....	El Riad	Temple
Spokane, Washington.....	El Katif	Temple
Springfield, Illinois.....	Ansar	Temple
Springfield, Massachusetts.....	Melha	Temple
Springfield, Missouri.....	Abou Ben Adhem	Temple
Syracuse, New York.....	Tigris	Temple
Tacoma, Washington.....	Afifi	Temple
Tampa, Florida.....	Egypt	Temple
Terre Haute, Indiana.....	Zorah	Temple
Toledo, Ohio.....	Zenobia	Temple
Topeka, Kansas.....	Arab	Temple
Toronto, Canada.....	Rameses	Temple
Trenton, New Jersey.....	Crescent	Temple
Troy, New York.....	Oriental	Temple
Tulsa, Oklahoma.....	Akdar	Temple
Tyler, Texas.....	Sharon	Temple
Utica, New York.....	Ziyara	Temple
Vancouver, British Columbia.....	Gizeh	Temple
Waco, Texas.....	Karem	Temple
Washington, District of Columbia.....	Almas	Temple
Watertown, New York.....	Media	Temple
Wheeling, West Virginia.....	Osiris	Temple
Wichita, Kansas.....	Midian	Temple
Wichita Falls, Texas.....	Maskat	Temple

Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania.....	Irem Temple
Wilmington, Delaware.....	Nur Temple
Winnipeg, Manitoba.....	Khartum Temple

RANK OF TEMPLES ACCORDING TO DATES OF CHARTERS

(Where charter dates are identical, dispensation date applies)

TEMPLE	LOCATION	DATE OF CHARTER
1 Mecca	New York, N.Y.	Sept. 26, 1872
2 Damascus	Rochester, N.Y.	June 6, 1875
3 Mount Sinai.....	Montpelier, Vt.	Oct. 31, 1876
4 Al Koran	Cleveland, Ohio	Jan. 22, 1877
Albany, N.Y.	5 Cyprus	Feb. 6, 1877
6 Syrian	Cincinnati, Ohio	Feb. 6, 1877
7 Oriental	Troy, N.Y.	Feb. 27, 1877
8 Syria	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Feb. 6, 1878
9 Pyramid	Bridgeport, Conn.	Feb. 7, 1878
10 Kaaba	Davenport, Iowa	July 1, 1878
11 Ziyara	Utica, N.Y.	July 1, 1878
12 Moslem	Detroit, Mich.	June 2, 1880
13 Aleppo	Boston, Mass.	June 6, 1883
14 Medinah	Chicago, Ill.	June 6, 1883
15 Islam	San Francisco, Calif.	June 6, 1883
16 Lu Lu	Philadelphia, Pa.	June 4, 1884
17 Murat	Indianapolis, Ind.	June 4, 1884
18 Boumi	Baltimore, Md.	June 4, 1884
19 Palestine	Cranston, R.I.	Jan. 28, 1886
20 Kosair	Louisville, Ky.	June 14, 1886
21 Tripoli	Milwaukee, Wis.	June 14, 1886
22 Osman	St. Paul, Minn.	June 14, 1886
23 Zuhrah	Minneapolis, Minn.	June 14, 1886
24 Almas	Washington, D.C.	June 14, 1886
25 El Kahir	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	June 14, 1886
26 Moolah	St. Louis, Mo.	June 14, 1886
27 Saladin	Grand Rapids, Mich.	June 14, 1886
28 Acca	Richmond, Va.	June 20, 1887
29 Osiris	Wheeling, W.Va.	June 20, 1887
30 Abdallah	Kansas City, Kans.	June 20, 1887
31 Isis	Salina, Kans.	June 20, 1887
32 Jerusalem	New Orleans, La.	June 25, 1888
33 Rameses	Toronto, Ont.	June 25, 1888
34 Hella	Dallas, Tex.	June 25, 1888
35 Sesostris	Lincoln, Nebr.	June 25, 1888
36 Kismet	Brooklyn, N.Y.	June 25, 1888
37 Ismailia	Buffalo, N.Y.	June 25, 1888
38 Ararat	Kansas City, Mo.	June 25, 1888
39 El Jebel	Denver, Colo.	June 25, 1888
40 Al Malaikah	Los Angeles, Cal.	June 25, 1888
41 Algeria	Helena, Mont.	June 25, 1888
42 Morocco	Jacksonville, Fla.	June 25, 1888
43 El Riad	Sioux Falls, S.D.	June 25, 1888
44 Ballut Abyad	Albuquerque, N.M.	June 17, 1889
45 Moila	St. Joseph, Mo.	June 17, 1889
46 Al Kader	Portland, Ore.	June 17, 1889
47 Affi	Tacoma, Wash.	June 17, 1889
48 Tangier	Omaha, Nebr.	June 22, 1890

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

TEMPLE	LOCATION	DATE OF CHARTER
49 Sahara	Pine Bluff, Ark.	June 23, 1890
50 Alhambra	Chattanooga, Tenn.	June 23, 1890
51 El Zagal	Fargo, N.D.	June 23, 1890
52 Yaarab	Atlanta, Ga.	June 23, 1890
53 El Katif	Spokane, Wash.	June 9, 1891
54 Zamora	Birmingham, Ala.	June 9, 1891
55 Media	Watertown, N.Y.	June 9, 1891
56 El Kalah	Salt Lake City, Utah	Aug. 16, 1892
57 Al Chymia	Memphis, Tenn.	Aug. 16, 1892
58 Ben Hur	Austin, Texas	Aug. 16, 1892
59 Kora	Lewiston, Me.	Aug. 16, 1892
60 Zem Zem	Erie, Pa.	Aug. 16, 1892
61 Hamasa	Meridian, Miss.	June 14, 1893
62 Naja	Deadwood, S.D.	June 14, 1893
63 Rajah	Reading, Pa.	June 14, 1893
64 Mohammed	Peoria, Ill.	June 14, 1893
65 India	Oklahoma City, Okla.	July 25, 1894
66 Ahmed	Marquette, Mich.	July 25, 1894
67 Aladdin	Columbus, Ohio	July 25, 1894
68 Tebala	Rockford, Ill.	Sept. 2, 1895
69 Korein	Rawlins, Wyo.	Sept. 2, 1895
70 Oasis	Charlotte, N.C.	Sept. 2, 1895
71 Irem	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	Sept. 2, 1895
72 El Zaribah	Phoenix, Ariz.	June 21, 1896
73 Sphinx	Hartford, Conn.	June 24, 1896
74 Alee	Savannah, Ga.	June 9, 1897
75 Beni Kedem	Charleston, W.Va.	June 9, 1897
76 El Korah	Boise, Idaho	June 14, 1898
77 Antioch	Dayton, Ohio	June 14, 1898
78 Melha	Springfield, Mass.	June 14, 1898
79 Zenobia	Toledo, Ohio	June 15, 1899
80 Kalurah	Binghamton, N.Y.	May 23, 1900
81 Karnak	Montreal, Que.	May 23, 1900
82 Za-Ga-Zig	Des Moines, Iowa	May 23, 1900
83 Aloha	Honolulu, Hawaii	June 12, 1901
84 El Mina	Galveston, Texas	June 11, 1902
85 Gizeh	Vancouver, B.C.	July 9, 1903
86 Salaam	Newark, N.J.	July 9, 1903
87 Luxor	St. John, N.B.	July 9, 1903
88 Abba	Mobile, Ala.	July 9, 1903
89 Abou Ben Adhem	Springfield, Mo.	July 9, 1903
90 Cairo	Rutland, Vt.	July 9, 1903
91 Jaffa	Altoona, Pa.	July 9, 1903
92 Yelduz	Aberdeen, S.D.	July 14, 1904
93 Zembo	Harrisburg, Pa.	July 14, 1904
94 Crescent	Trenton, N.J.	June 21, 1905
95 Khartum	Winnipeg, Man.	June 21, 1905
96 Bektash	Concord, N.H.	June 21, 1905
97 Aad	Duluth, Minn.	June 12, 1906
98 El Hasa	Ashland, Ky.	June 12, 1906
99 Elf Khurafeh	Saginaw, Mich.	May 8, 1907
100 Kalif	Sheridan, Wyo.	May 8, 1907
101 Anezeh	Mexico City, Mex.	May 8, 1907
102 Kerak	Reno, Nev.	May 8, 1907
103 Omar	Charleston, S.C.	May 8, 1907
104 Abu Bekr	Sioux City, Iowa	July 15, 1908
105 Calam	Lewiston, Idaho	July 15, 1908

TEMPLE	LOCATION	DATE OF CHARTER
106 Al Azhar	Calgary, Alberta	July 15, 1908
107 Mocha	London, Ont.	July 15, 1908
108 Oleika	Lexington, Ky.	June 9, 1909
109 El Maida	El Paso, Tex.	July 15, 1908
110 Hillah	Ashland, Ore.	June 9, 1909
111 Nile	Seattle, Wash.	June 9, 1909
112 Rizpah	Madisonville, Ky.	June 9, 1909
113 Hadi	Evansville, Ind.	Apr. 13, 1910
114 Mizpah	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Apr. 13, 1910
115 Orak	Hammond, Ind.	Apr. 13, 1910
116 Kem	Grand Forks, N.D.	Apr. 13, 1910
117 Khedive	Norfolk, Va.	Apr. 13, 1910
118 Midian	Wichita, Kans.	Apr. 13, 1910
119 Mirza	Pittsburg, Kans.	Apr. 13, 1910
120 Zorah	Terre Haute, Ind.	Apr. 13, 1910
121 Aahmes	Oakland, Calif.	July 12, 1911
122 Al Sihah	Macon, Ga.	July 12, 1911
123 Wa-Wa	Regina, Sask.	July 12, 1911
124 Bagdad	Butte, Mont.	July 12, 1911
125 Akdar	Tulsa, Okla.	May 7, 1912
126 Bedouin	Muskogee, Okla.	May 7, 1912
127 Wahabi	Jackson, Miss.	May 7, 1912
128 Philae	Halifax, N.S.	May 13, 1913
129 Al Bahr	San Diego, Calif.	May 13, 1913
130 Ainad	East St. Louis, Ill.	May 13, 1913
131 Al Menah	Nashville, Tenn.	May 13, 1913
132 Nemesis	Parkersburg, W.Va.	May 13, 1913
133 El Karubah	Shreveport, La.	May 13, 1914
134 Alcazar	Montgomery, Ala.	May 13, 1914
135 Moslah	Fort Worth, Tex.	July 13, 1915
136 Ansar	Springfield, Ill.	July 13, 1915
137 Arabia	Houston, Tex.	July 14, 1915
138 Kerbela	Knoxville, Tenn.	July 14, 1915
139 Alzafar	San Antonio, Tex.	July 13, 1916
140 Kazim	Roanoke, Va.	June 26, 1917
141 Sudan	New Bern, N.C.	June 26, 1917
142 Egypt	Tampa, Fla.	June 6, 1918
143 Abou Saad	Panama Canal Zone	June 6, 1918
144 Tehama	Hastings, Nebr.	June 6, 1918
145 Hejaz	Greenville, S.C.	June 24, 1920
146 Karem	Waco, Tex.	June 24, 1920
147 Maskat	Wichita Falls, Tex.	June 16, 1921
148 Al Kaly	Pueblo, Colo.	June 16, 1921
149 Khiva	Amarillo, Tex.	June 16, 1921
150 Al Bedoo	Billings, Mont.	June 15, 1922
151 Anah	Bangor, Me.	June 15, 1922
152 Mahi	Miami, Fla.	June 15, 1922
153 Tigris	Syracuse, N.Y.	June 15, 1922
154 Ben Ali	Sacramento, Calif.	June 7, 1923
155 Tadmor	Akron, Ohio	June 4, 1925
156 Ali Ghan	Cumberland, Md.	June 3, 1926
157 Arab	Topeka, Kans.	July 29, 1932
158 Zor	Madison, Wis.	July 12, 1933
159 Scimitar	Little Rock, Ark.	June 8, 1938
160 Tehran	Fresno, Calif.	July 21, 1949
161 Suez	San Angelo, Tex.	July 11, 1951
162 Hasan	Albany, Ga.	July 12, 1951

163	Kena	Alexandria, Va.	June 19, 1952
164	El Bekal	Long Beach, Calif.	June 20, 1952
165	Nur	Wilmington, Del.	July 16, 1953
166	Bahia	Orlando, Fla.	July 14, 1955
167	Sharon	Tyler, Tex.	July 5, 1962

**Order of
TEMPLE MEMBERSHIP
December 31, 1963**

1. Al Malaikah	28,743	48. Saladin	5,342
2. Syria	26,525	49. Ansar	5,201
3. Medinah	21,679	50. India	5,185
4. Aleppo	16,307	51. Tadmor	5,151
5. Murat	15,556	52. Mizpah	5,140
6. Moslem	15,459	53. Egypt	5,130
7. Aladdin	12,806	54. Khedive	5,100
8. Al Koran	12,271	55. Ismailia	5,031
9. Zuhrah	11,892	56. Tangier	5,030
10. Hella	11,371	57. Almas	5,011
11. Crescent	11,252	58. El Karubah	4,968
12. Nile	11,109	59. Osman	4,867
13. Moolah	10,181	60. Wahabi	4,866
14. Zembo	9,801	61. Mecca	4,830
15. Islam	9,315	62. Zem Zem	4,791
16. Tripoli	9,200	63. Zenobia	4,698
17. Aahmes	9,179	64. Kaaba	4,670
18. Ben Ali	9,007	65. Tebala	4,605
19. Zamora	8,919	66. Al Chymia	4,556
20. Lu Lu	8,854	67. Al Menah	4,435
21. El Jebel	8,810	68. Affi	4,411
22. Irem	8,683	69. Hejaz	4,399
23. Arabia	8,618	70. Sphinx	4,327
24. Mohammed	8,139	71. El Katif	4,307
25. Midian	8,123	72. Moila	4,247
26. Yaarab	8,091	73. Khiva	4,239
27. Oasis	7,779	74. Kosair	4,236
28. Ararat	7,745	75. Kora	4,201
29. Al Kader	7,670	76. Rameses	4,153
30. Salaam	7,614	77. Al Bahr	4,135
31. Moslah	7,460	78. El Kahir	4,120
32. Beni Kedem	7,448	79. Acca	4,119
33. Antioch	7,412	80. El Zaribah	4,104
34. Ainad	7,309	81. Scimitar	4,057
35. Syrian	7,245	82. Orak	4,021
36. Mahi	7,049	83. Abu Bekr	3,930
37. Boumi	6,976	84. Kerbela	3,845
38. Sudan	6,971	85. Elf Khurafeh	3,829
39. Za Ca Zig	6,893	86. El Bekal	3,749
40. Morocco	6,841	87. Isis	3,705
41. Rajah	6,836	88. Bahia	3,612
42. Jaffa	6,677	89. Osiris	3,590
43. Alzafar	6,087	90. Hadi	3,587
44. Ballut Abyad	5,631	91. Kazim	3,571
45. Kismet	5,552	92. Melha	3,552
46. Zor	5,529	93. Omar	3,548
47. Jerusalem	5,401	94. Aad	3,545

95. Al Sihah	3,506	132. Kem	2,271
96. Abou Ben Adhem	3,431	133. Suez	2,265
97. Akdar	3,392	134. Al Azhar	2,248
98. Sesostris	3,334	135. Ben Hur	2,214
99. Hamasa	3,280	136. Sharon	2,208
100. Karem	3,188	137. Zorah	2,179
101. Damascus	3,166	138. Korein	2,121
102. El Maida	3,122	139. Kena	2,043
103. Cyprus	3,104	140. Alhambra	2,021
104. Mocha	3,018	141. Abba	1,997
105. Al Bedoo	2,980	142. Nur	1,987
106. Abdallah	2,975	143. Arab	1,951
107. Gizeh	2,959	144. Bedouin	1,949
108. Bektash	2,885	145. Ali Ghan	1,920
109. Aloha	2,809	146. Al Kaly	1,918
110. Alee	2,801	147. Oriental	1,841
111. Kerak	2,797	148. Abou Saad	1,798
112. Hillah	2,781	149. Tigris	1,770
113. Algeria	2,779	150. Wa Wa	1,737
114. El Kalah	2,759	151. Rizpah	1,641
115. Tehran	2,754	152. Mount Sinai ...	1,633
116. Anah	2,753	153. Kalurah	1,622
117. El Korah	2,745	154. Kalif	1,606
118. Hasan	2,623	155. Yelduz	1,604
119. Palestine	2,621	156. Nemesis	1,600
120. Pyramid	2,621	157. Bagdad	1,584
121. El Mina	2,618	158. El Hasa	1,432
122. El Riad	2,554	159. Karnak	1,327
123. Oleika	2,523	160. Media	1,308
124. Alcazar	2,463	161. Ahmed	1,274
125. Mirza	2,455	162. Naja	1,214
126. Tehama	2,401	163. Cairo	1,092
127. Sahara	2,394	164. Calam	1,050
128. El Zagal	3,321	165. Philae	896
129. Maskat	2,321	166. Luxor	771
130. Khartum	2,311	167. Anezeh	608
131. Ziyara	2,281	Total	834,286

DATES AND PLACES OF HOLDING THE ANNUAL SESSIONS OF THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL SINCE ORGANIZATION

DATE	PLACE OF MEETING	CITY AND STATE
1—June 6, 1876,	Masonic Hall.....	New York, N.Y.
2—Feb. 6, 1877,	Masonic Hall.....	Albany, N.Y.
3—Feb. 6, 1878,	Masonic Temple.....	New York, N.Y.
4—Feb. 5, 1879,	Masonic Temple.....	Albany, N.Y.
5—Feb. 4, 1880,	Masonic Temple.....	Albany, N.Y.
6—June 2, 1880,	Temple Hall.....	New York, N.Y.
7—June 9, 1881,	Temple Hall.....	New York, N.Y.
8—June 7, 1882,	Masonic Temple.....	New York, N.Y.
9—June 6, 1883,	Masonic Temple.....	New York, N.Y.
10—June 4, 1884,	Masonic Temple.....	New York, N.Y.
11—June 4, 1885,	Masonic Temple.....	New York, N.Y.
12—June 14, 1886,	Al Koran Temple.....	Cleveland, Ohio
13—June 20, 1887,	Murat Temple.....	Indianapolis, Ind.
14—June 25, 1888,	Rameses Temple.....	Toronto, Can.
15—June 17, 1889,	Medinah Temple.....	Chicago, Ill.
16—June 23, 1890,	Syria Temple.....	Pittsburgh, Pa.
17—June 9, 1891,	Masonic Temple.....	Niagara Falls, N.Y.
18—Aug. 15, 1892,	Masonic Hall.....	Omaha, Neb.
19—June 13, 1893,	Scottish Rite Cathedral.....	Cincinnati, Ohio
20—July 24, 1894,	Masonic Temple.....	Denver, Colo.
21—Sept. 2, 1895,	Rockland House....	Nantucket Beach, Mass.
22—June 23, 1896,	Masonic Temple.....	Cleveland, Ohio
23—June 8, 1897,	Masonic Temple.....	Detroit, Mich.
24—June 14, 1898,	Opera House.....	Dallas, Texas
25—June 14, 1899,	German-American Hall.....	Buffalo, N.Y.
26—May 22, 1900,	Columbia Theater.....	Washington, D.C.
27—June 11, 1901,	Standard Theater.....	Kansas City, Mo.
28—June 10, 1902,	Golden Gate Hall.....	San Francisco, Cal.
29—July 8, 1903,	Broadway Theater....	Saratoga Springs, N.Y.
30—July 13, 1904,	Marine Hall.....	Atlantic City, N.J.
31—June 20, 1905,	International Theater...	Niagara Falls, N.Y.
32—June 12, 1906,	Medinah Temple.....	Chicago, Ill.
33—May 7, 1907,	Scottish Rite Hall.....	Los Angeles, Cal.
34—July 14, 1908,	Auditorium.....	St. Paul, Minn.
35—June 8, 1909,	Scottish Rite Cathedral.....	Louisville, Ky.
36—Apr. 12, 1910,	Scottish Rite Cathedral....	New Orleans, La.
37—July 11, 1911,	Convention Hall.....	Rochester, N.Y.
38—May 7, 1912,	Scottish Rite Cathedral....	Los Angeles, Cal.
39—May 13, 1913,	Scottish Rite Cathedral.....	Dallas, Texas
40—May 12, 1914,	Lyric Theater.....	Atlanta, Ga.
41—July 13, 1915,	Moore Theater.....	Seattle, Wash.
42—July 11, 1916,	Majestic Theater.....	Buffalo, N.Y.
43—June 26, 1917,	Orpheum Theater.....	Minneapolis, Minn.
44—June 4, 1918,	Steel Pier.....	Atlantic City, N.J.
45—June 10, 1919,	Murat Temple.....	Indianapolis, Ind.
46—June 22, 1920,	Auditorium.....	Portland, Ore.
47—June 14, 1921,	Princess Theater.....	Des Moines, Iowa
48—June 13, 1922,	Scottish Rite Cathedral....	San Francisco, Cal.
49—June 7, 1923,	Keith Theater.....	Washington, D.C.
50—June 3, 1924,	Orpheum Theater.....	Kansas City, Mo.
51—June 2, 1925,	Biltmore Theater.....	Los Angeles, Cal.

DATE	PLACE OF MEETING	CITY AND STATE
52-June 1, 1926,	Academy of Music.....	Philadelphia, Pa.
53-June 13, 1927,	Auditorium, Hotel Chelsea,	Atlantic City, N.J.
54-May 1, 1928,	Olympia Theater.....	Miami, Fla.
55-June 4, 1929,	Biltmore Theater.....	Los Angeles, Cal.
56-June 10, 1930,	Royal York Hotel.....	Toronto, Can.
57-July 14, 1931,	Auditorium.....	Cleveland, Ohio
58-July 26, 1932,	Geary Theater.....	San Francisco, Cal.
59-July 11, 1933,	Auditorium, Hotel Chelsea,	Atlantic City, N.J.
60-June 19, 1934,	Century Theater.....	Minneapolis, Minn.
61-June 11, 1935,	National Theater.....	Washington, D.C.
62-July 14, 1936,	Metropolitan Theater.....	Seattle, Wash.
63-June 22, 1937,	Masonic Temple.....	Detroit, Mich.
64-June 7, 1938,	Biltmore Theater.....	Los Angeles, Cal.
65-June 27, 1939,	Lord Baltimore Hotel.....	Baltimore, Md.
66-June 11, 1940,	Ellis Auditorium.....	Memphis, Tenn.
67-June 10, 1941,	Murat Temple.....	Indianapolis, Ind.
68-June 29, 1942,	Palmer House.....	Chicago, Ill.
69-July 6, 1943,	Palmer House.....	Chicago, Ill.
70-July 5, 1944,	Milwaukee Auditorium....	Milwaukee, Wis.
71-July 11, 1945,	Palmer House.....	Chicago, Ill.
72-July 23, 1946,	War Memorial Opera House,	San Francisco, Calif.
73-May 27, 1947,	Civic Auditorium.....	Atlantic City, N.J.
74-June 8, 1948,	Civic Auditorium.....	Atlantic City, N.J.
75-July 19, 1949,	Medinah Temple.....	Chicago, Ill.
76-June 20, 1950,	Biltmore Theater.....	Los Angeles, Calif.
77-July 11, 1951,	Commodore Hotel.....	New York, N.Y.
78-June 18, 1952,	Municipal Auditorium.....	Miami, Florida
79-July 15, 1953,	Commodore Hotel.....	New York, N.Y.
80-June 30, 1954,	Civic Auditorium.....	Atlantic City, N.J.
81-July 13, 1955,	Conrad Hilton Hotel.....	Chicago, Ill.
82-July 10, 1956,	Masonic Temple.....	Detroit, Mich.
83-July 16, 1957,	Minneapolis Vocational High School Auditorium..	Minneapolis, Minn.
84-July 15, 1958,	Palmer House.....	Chicago, Ill.
85-July 7, 1959,	Civic Auditorium.....	Atlantic City, N.J.
86-July 12, 1960,	City Auditorium.....	Denver, Colo.
87-June 20, 1961,	Everglades Hotel.....	Miami, Fla.
88-July 3, 1962,	O'Keefe Centre....	Toronto, Ontario, Canada
89-July 9, 1963,	Palmer House.....	Chicago, Ill.
90-July 21, 1964,	N.Y. Hilton Hotel.....	New York N.Y.
91-July 13, 1965,	Washington Hilton Hotel..	Washington, D.C.

SHRINE STATISTICS

December 31, 1963

SHRINE TEMPLES

Number of Shrine Temples.....	167						
Shrine Membership at December 31, 1963	834,286						
Three largest Temples.....	<table> <tr> <td>Al Malaikah</td><td>28,743</td></tr> <tr> <td>Syria</td><td>26,525</td></tr> <tr> <td>Medinah</td><td>21,679</td></tr> </table>	Al Malaikah	28,743	Syria	26,525	Medinah	21,679
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Syria	26,525						
Medinah	21,679						
State with largest Shrine population....	Pennsylvania...72,167						
State with largest number of Shrine Temples....	Texas.....12						
Number of Temples in Canada.....	9						
Number of Temples in Mexico.....	1						
Number of Shrine Temple Associations.....	17						
Number of Permanent Contributing Memberships (members exempt from hospital assessment)	153,878						

SHRINE HOSPITALS

Number of Orthopedic hospitals	17
Number of Burns Institutes	3
Bed capacity of Orthopedic hospitals	1,048
Interim bed capacity Burns Institutes	19

IMPERIAL COUNCIL SESSION

Dates of meeting	July 21, 22, 23, 24, 1964
Place.....	New York City
Representatives to meeting:	

Ad Vitam	14
Emeritus	58
At Large	13
Elected	665
Total	<u>750</u>

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

—of—

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA

(Iowa Corporation)

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of transacting the business hereinafter set forth, hereby associate ourselves, and do by the following written Articles of Incorporation unite ourselves into a body corporate under the provisions of Chapter 394, Title XIX of the 1935 Code of Iowa, and acts amendatory thereto, assuming all the powers and obligations granted bodies corporate under said Chapter and Title and do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation, to-wit:

ARTICLE I

The name of this Corporation shall be THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA.

ARTICLE II

The principal office and place of business of this Corporation shall be in the City of Des Moines, in the County of Polk and State of Iowa and, particularly, the office of the Recorder of Za-Ga-Zig Temple, Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America in the City of Des Moines, County of Polk, State of Iowa.

Said Corporation shall also be authorized to maintain offices and places of business within any of the States of the United States, including Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, the Canal Zone, and the Dominion of Canada and the Republic of Mexico.

ARTICLE III

The objects and purposes of this Corporation and business to be transacted by it are:

1. Said Corporation shall be the irrevocable common agent, representative and supreme authority in all matters appertaining to the government of the system of fraternal lodges or temples known

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in the aggregate as the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, which lodges and temples are located in each of the States of the United States, District of Columbia, the Dominion of Canada, the Canal Zone, the Hawaiian Islands, the Philippine Islands and the Republic of Mexico, and as such shall have supreme complete original jurisdiction and essential powers necessary to such control and government.

(a) To enact and enforce laws, statutes, and regulations for the government of itself and subordinate Temples and members of the Order known in the aggregate as the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, and to alter, amend and repeal the same at pleasure.

(b) To issue edicts relating to the government and control of the several Temples and the members thereof, and to alter, amend and repeal the same.

(c) To constitute new Temples by granting dispensations and charters under seal, and for good cause to suspend, annul and revoke the same at pleasure.

(d) To create, establish and preserve a uniform mode of work and lectures, and to publish and issue the rituals containing such authorized work and lectures.

(e) To assess and collect from the several Temples under its jurisdiction such sums of money as may be deemed necessary to be appropriated for the benefit of the corporation and its members and benevolences.

(f) To hear and determine all questions of dispute between Temples and between members in Temples.

(g) To hear and decide all appeals from the decisions of subordinate Temples.

(h) To demand and receive such fees and charges for granting dispensations, charters, certificates and diplomas as may be by it determined to be proper and reasonable.

(i) To require and collect from all Temples and all members of Temples such sums of money for Shriners' Hospitals for Crippled Children and other charitable purposes as may from time to time be provided for and required by law.

(j) To hear and decide all charges and complaints against any officer of the Imperial Council, or of any subordinate Temple, and to inflict such punishment as may seem just and proper.

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(k) To prescribe and define the duties and powers of the several officers of the Imperial Council and the members (representatives) and the powers and duties of the several officers of subordinate Temples.

(l) To exercise such power and control, and to perform all such acts, as may seem proper and necessary to carry out the full purpose and intent of this Corporation.

2. To maintain, control, conduct and superintend any and all charities, benevolences, and hospitals now established, maintained and controlled by the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America, or which may be by it hereafter established.

3. To purchase, or otherwise acquire, to have, hold, lease, mortgage, or otherwise create liens on, to sell, convey, exchange, transfer, assign or let on lease, or in any other manner whatsoever to acquire and dispose of, real and personal property necessary or convenient in carrying out any of the purposes of this corporation, without restriction as to place, state or country. To erect thereon, to construct, maintain, and operate, hospitals or other eleemosynary institutions for the treatment of curable crippled children, free of charge, and other purposes, under such regulations and such restrictions as may from time to time be adopted by the Imperial Council, and to purchase, or erect, construct, maintain and operate, such hospitals, or other institutions, in any state of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Hawaiian Islands, the Canal Zone, and the Dominion of Canada and the Republic of Mexico.

4. To create and maintain a charitable and educational fund, a representative fund, a library fund, an Imperial Council fund, a fund for the purchase, erection, operation and maintenance of Shriners' Hospitals for Crippled Children, and other benevolences, and any other fund or trust necessary or convenient in carrying out any of the purposes, benevolences or charities now established, or which may be hereafter authorized by the Imperial Council.

5. To accept and receive gifts, devises, bequests, donations, annuities and endowments, of real or personal property, and to use, hold and enjoy the same, both as to principal and income, and invest and reinvest the same, or any part thereof, for the furtherance of any of the objects, interests or purposes of the cor-

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poration as hereinbefore stated, or such as may hereafter be authorized.

6. To have the exclusive right to and use of the name "The Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America," together with the emblems, costumes, regalia, characteristic insignia, and jewels of said Order, heretofore or hereafter adopted by said Imperial Council.

And with power to use and exercise all the powers, rights and privileges incidental to fraternal and benevolent corporations organized for purposes other than pecuniary profit, and which are usually exercised by the supreme or governing bodies of fraternal or benevolent organizations operating as the representatives of a system of fraternal lodges.

And it is intended that the powers specified and clauses contained in the foregoing paragraphs shall in no wise limit or restrict, by reference to or inference from, the terms of any other clause of this or any other paragraph in these Articles, but the powers specified in each of the several clauses of this paragraph shall be regarded as independent powers and purposes.

In furtherance of the purposes and objects above expressed, to acquire by purchase, lease, bequest or otherwise, and to own, hold and use for such purposes real estate and personal property situate in the State of Iowa and also in all of the States of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Hawaiian Islands, the Canal Zone, the Dominion of Canada and the Republic of Mexico, and to erect, construct and build any building or buildings for the use and benefit of said corporation and to equip, maintain, rent, lease, sublease, mortgage, transfer or otherwise dispose of its property so to be used for the purposes aforesaid.

ARTICLE IV

The members of said Corporation shall be the following persons who are all residents of the State of Iowa:

Earl C. Mills

Harry S. Haskins

Percy E. Hoak

Alex M. Miller

Sam R. Cohen

and Clyde I. Webster, Detroit, Michigan; Walter S. Sugden, Sistersville, West Virginia; James C. Burger, Denver, Colorado; and James H. Price, Richmond, Virginia, and such other persons as

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may be elected to become members as provided in the by-laws of said corporation.

ARTICLE V

The members of said Corporation shall have power from time to time to make such prudential by-laws as they shall deem proper for the management of the affairs of said Corporation, not in conflict, however, with the laws of the United States or the State of Iowa.

Provided, that the laws, by-laws, rules and regulations heretofore adopted by the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America, a corporation under the laws of the State of Colorado and now in force shall apply to and be the laws, rules and regulations of this Corporation subject to amendment by the members of this Corporation.

ARTICLE VI

That the term for which this Corporation shall exist shall be fifty (50) years, unless sooner dissolved in the manner provided by law or as prescribed by the by-laws of this Corporation.

ARTICLE VII

The following persons, who are all residents of the City of Des Moines, County of Polk, State of Iowa, to-wit:

Percy E. Hoak
Earl C. Mills

Harry S. Haskin
Alex M. Miller

Sam R. Cohen

and Clyde I. Webster, Detroit, Michigan; Walter S. Sugden, Sistersville, West Virginia; James C. Burger, Denver, Colorado; and James H. Price, Richmond, Virginia, shall constitute the directors of said Corporation until such time as their successors in such office shall have been elected in the manner and at such times as may be provided in its by-laws.

ARTICLE VIII

This Corporation shall not have any authorized capital stock and the incorporators, or their successors elected to membership, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the by-laws of this Corporation, shall be designated as members. This is a non-stock, non-profit corporation and no member shall receive any profits from its operations.

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In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals on the day and date as shown by acknowledgments attached hereto.

EARL C. MILLS, (Seal)
PERCY E. HOAK, (Seal)
HARRY S. HASKINS, (Seal)
ALEX M. MILLER, (Seal)
SAM R. COHEN, (Seal)
CLYDE I. WEBSTER, (Seal)
WALTER S. SUGDEN, (Seal)
JAMES C. BURGER, (Seal)
JAMES H. PRICE, (Seal)

STATE OF IOWA,
COUNTY OF POLK ss.

On this 15th day of December, A. D. 1936, before me, Paul Hewitt, a Notary Public, personally appeared Earl C. Mills, Harry S. Haskins, Percy E. Hoak, Alex M. Miller and Sam R. Cohen to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and each acknowledged that they executed the same as their voluntary act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date above mentioned.

My Commission expires July 4, 1939

PAUL HEWITT, (Seal)
Notary Public.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
COUNTY OF WAYNE, ss.

On this 7th day of December, A. D. 1936, before me, Estelle Mason, a Notary Public, personally appeared Clyde I. Webster, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his voluntary act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and notarial seal on the day and date above mentioned.

My commission expires February 20, 1937.

ESTELLE MASON, (Seal)
Notary Public.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,
COUNTY OF TYLER, ss.

On this 10th day of December, A. D. 1936, before me, L. C. Ash, a Notary Public, personally appeared Walter S. Sugden, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his voluntary act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and notarial seal on the day and date above mentioned.

My commission expires March 15, 1942.

L. C. ASH, (Seal)
Notary Public.

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STATE OF COLORADO,
DENVER, ss.

On this 2nd day of December, A. D. 1936, before me, George H. Alff, a Notary Public, personally appeared James C. Burger, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his voluntary act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and notarial seal on the day and date above mentioned.

GEORGE H. ALFF, (Seal)
Notary Public,

My commission expires July 14, 1939.

STATE OF VIRGINIA
CITY OF RICHMOND, ss.

On this 11th day of December, A. D. 1936, before me, C. R. Herrink, a Notary Public, personally appeared James H. Price, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his voluntary act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and notarial seal on the day and date above mentioned.

C. R. HERRINK, (Seal)
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 27, 1937.

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PART I**GENERAL PROVISIONS****ARTICLE 1*****General Provisions***

§ 101.1 **Application.** These general provisions apply to all Parts and throughout these By-laws.

§ 101.2 **Arrangement.** These By-laws are divided into 4 Parts, which are numbered with Roman numerals. The Parts are divided into Articles, which are numbered with Arabic numerals. The Articles are divided into Sections, which are numbered; and then further subdivided into Subsections, which are lettered with lower case letters in parentheses. Subsections may be divided into Paragraphs bearing Arabic numbers in parentheses, and then further subdivided into Subparagraphs which bear lower case Roman numerals in parentheses.

§ 101.3 **Definitions.** The following words, terms and phrases mean:

(a) "Imperial Council" means this corporation.

(b) "Temple" means any Temple chartered by or under dispensation of the Imperial Council, as the context requires or permits.

(c) "Noble" means any member in good standing of any Temple.

(d) "Imperial" when used as a part of the title of an officer means an officer, past or present, as the case may be, of the Imperial Council.

(e) "Order" means the fraternal society of Nobles operated by the Imperial Council, including the Imperial Council, Temples, and all organizations of Temples or Nobles.

(f) "Session," when used in Part I or Part II, means a meeting of the Representatives to the Imperial Council; and, when used in Part III, "session" means a meeting of a Temple for ceremonial purposes.

(g) "Meeting" as used in Part III means a meeting of a Temple for business purposes.

(h) "Member" means a member of a Temple or of an organization of Temples or Nobles, as the context requires or permits.

(i) "State" means a state, province, district or territory; and includes the Canal Zone and Republic of Mexico as the context requires or permits.

(j) "Shrine Law" includes the Articles of Incorporation of the Imperial Council, these By-laws and any General or Special Orders at the time in effect; but it does not include the law of the land.

(k) "Suspension" means deprivation of all rights of membership.

(l) "Expulsion" means involuntary termination of membership.

(m) "Restoration" means the return of all rights of membership.

(n) Singular includes the plural and plural includes the singular, as the context requires or permits.

(o) "Hospitals" means Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation.

§ 101.4 **Rules of Order.** Unless otherwise provided by resolution or By-laws, parliamentary procedures shall be governed by Robert's Rules of Order.

§ 101.5 **Amendments.**

(a) *Time, Presentation and Publication.* No proposed amendment to these By-laws may be adopted by the Imperial Council unless it has been first sent by a Representative to the Imperial Recorder, in writing and in the form proposed, at least 60 days before the session of the Imperial Council at which it is to be submitted; and every proposed amendment shall be published with the notice of the session. The Imperial Potentate or the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee may submit proposed amendments for adoption at any time during a session of the Imperial Council, but, if time permits, each Representative shall have furnished to him a printed copy of such amendments at the beginning of each session in which they are to be introduced.

(b) *Form of Publication.* Notice concerning a proposed amendment must be published in such form as to show the entire sec-

tion, subsection or paragraph, as the case may be, as it will read if the proposed amendment is adopted, with any change in language italicized if new or bracketed if deleted.

(c) *Reference to Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.* Every proposed amendment shall be referred to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, which shall consider it and report thereon to the Imperial Council.

(d) *Modification.* A proposed amendment may be modified in any manner by the Imperial Council while it is under consideration, but such modification must be germane to the subject matter of the proposed amendment.

(e) *Adoption.* A proposed amendment to these By-laws may be adopted only upon the affirmative vote of not fewer than 2/3rds of the Representatives registered at that session of the Imperial Council.

§ 101.6 **Revision.** Within 30 days after each annual session the General Counsel shall prepare a revision of the articles or sections amended, deleted or included, and appropriate annotations. He shall submit them to the Chairman of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws and the Imperial Potentate who shall approve or disapprove the form of the revision and annotations within 10 days thereafter. The Secretary shall print the revision and annotations so they may be inserted in copies of these By-laws and distribute them as directed by the Board of Directors.

§ 101.7 **General Regulations.** A Temple or Noble may not violate Shrine law.

§ 101.8 **Offenses and Discipline of Temples.** For violation of Shrine law, a Temple may have its charter arrested, as provided in § 206.5 (a) (12), or revoked by the Imperial Council.

§ 101.9 **Offenses and Discipline of Nobles.** For violation of Shrine law or for conduct unbecoming a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, a Noble may be suspended for a definite period of time or indefinitely, or he may be expelled as provided in § 206.5 (a) (11)

and in Article 30 of Part III. Suspension of a Noble by the Imperial Potentate does not preclude discipline by his Temple.

§ 101.10 **Forms.** The official forms are printed as an appendix to these By-laws and their use is required wherever applicable.

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Name, Jurisdiction, Seal and Powers

- § 202.1 **Name.** The name of this corporation shall be "THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA."
- § 202.2 **Jurisdiction.** The jurisdiction of the Imperial Council is that set forth in the Articles of Incorporation, as amended from time to time.
- § 202.3 **Seal.** The seal of the Imperial Council consists of 2 concentric circles between the circumferences of which are the words "Ancient Arabic Order—Imperial Council—Nobles Mystic Shrine." The outermost circle is surrounded by stars and crescents, and within the innermost circle is a panther-bodied female sphinx superimposed upon a pyramid and the words "State of Iowa." Rays extend outward from all sides of the pyramid. The words "North America" are along its 2 upper sides, and the date "June 6, 1876" is beneath it.
- § 202.4 **Powers.** The powers, objects and purposes of the Imperial Council are those set forth in the Articles of Incorporation, as amended from time to time.

ARTICLE 3

Representatives

- § 203.1 **Generally.** The Representatives to the Imperial Council are its Representatives ad vitam, its Representatives at large, its Emeriti Representatives, its elected Representatives, and its appointed Representatives.
- § 203.2 **Representatives ad vitam.** All past Imperial officers are representatives ad vitam.
- § 203.3 **Representatives at large.** All Imperial officers are Representatives at large.
- § 203.4 **Emeriti Representatives.** Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Emeriti Representatives and by a majority

vote of the Representatives registered at any session, the Imperial Council may elect as an Emeritus Representative any Noble who has been a Representative for at least 18 years.

- § **203.5 Elected Representatives.** In addition to any other Representatives it may have, each Temple is entitled to one elected Representative, or 2 if its membership exceeds 300, or 3 if its membership exceeds 600, or 4 if its membership exceeds 1000. For this purpose the membership of a Temple is determined as of December 31st immediately preceding its annual meeting. A Temple is entitled to no more than 4 elected Representatives.
- § **203.6 Appointed Representatives.** An elected Representative who is appointed by the Imperial Potentate to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee or the Finance and Accounts Committee and is not re-elected by his Temple shall be an appointed Representative until the adjournment of the next succeeding annual session.
- § **203.7 Forfeiture of Office.** A Representative forfeits his office if he resigns or moves and resides permanently outside the jurisdiction of the Imperial Council, or is suspended, or is expelled, or is convicted of a felony or of any criminal offense involving moral turpitude, or is adjudged mentally incompetent, or is physically incompetent.

ARTICLE 4

Sessions

- § **204.1 Annual Session.** The Imperial Council shall meet annually, at the time and place fixed by the Representatives at a previous session.
- § **204.2 Special Sessions.** A special session of the Imperial Council may be called by the Imperial Potentate in an emergency; and he shall call a special session upon the written request of 150 Representatives, at least 85 of whom are members of different Temples.
- § **204.3 Quorum.** 150 Representatives, at least 85 of whom are members of different Temples, shall constitute a quorum.
- § **204.4 Notice.** Notice of each annual session shall be given by mail to all Representatives at least 30 days prior to the session.

Notice of a special session shall be given by air mail to all Representatives at least 7 days prior to the session. Notice of a special session shall state the business to be transacted, and no other business shall be transacted at such special session.

§ 204.5 **Credentials.** The first order of business at each session shall be the report of the Credentials Committee.

§ 204.6 **National Emergency.** If, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, the existence of a national emergency makes the holding of any annual session impracticable, the Board may cancel the annual session of the Imperial Council for that year. In that event, the Board, with the approval of the Finance and Accounts Committee, may adopt a budget and make appropriations for current expenses of the Imperial Council. Furthermore, the Board may then elect Imperial Officers for the ensuing term; but only an Imperial Officer is eligible for election to any office except those of Imperial Treasurer and Imperial Recorder. A regular annual session of the Imperial Council shall be held as soon as practicable thereafter.

ARTICLE 5

Mileage and Per Diem

§ 205.1 **Mileage.**

(a) Each Representative who attends a session of the Imperial Council shall be paid mileage at the rate of 25 cents per mile one way by the shortest available route from the location of his Temple to the place of the session.

(b) For the purpose of this section, the location of the Temple is at the address given in the then current Imperial Council directory or, where no street address is given, the central post office in the city named in the Temple's charter.

(c) If a Representative lives outside the state in which his Temple is located and nearer the place of the session, he shall be paid mileage only from the place of his residence.

§ 205.2 **Per Diem.** Each Representative who attends a session of the Imperial Council shall be paid per diem expenses at the rate of \$35.00 for each day he attends the session.

§ 205.3 **Imperial Chaplain.** The Imperial Chaplain shall be paid mileage and per diem expenses as if he were a Representative.

- § 205.4 **Temple Requirement.** An elected Representative shall not be paid mileage or per diem expenses if his Temple was delinquent in payment of its per capita tax and hospital levy on March 31 preceding the session.
- § 205.5 **Method and Time of Payment.** Representatives entitled to mileage and per diem shall be paid at the close of the session by checks prepared from the report of the Mileage and Per Diem Committee based on a 4 day session. If the Imperial Council remains in session for longer than 4 days, a check for any additional per diem expenses allowed shall be mailed to each Representative entitled thereto.

ARTICLE 6

Officers

- § 206.1 **Officers.** The officers of the Imperial Council are:

- (a) Imperial Potentate, President;
- (b) Deputy Imperial Potentate, First Vice President;
- (c) Imperial Chief Rabban, Second Vice President;
- (d) Imperial Assistant Rabban;
- (e) Imperial High Priest and Prophet;
- (f) Imperial Oriental Guide;
- (g) Imperial Treasurer;
- (h) Imperial Recorder, Secretary;
- (i) Imperial First Ceremonial Master;
- (j) Imperial Second Ceremonial Master;
- (k) Imperial Marshal;
- (l) Imperial Captain of the Guard; and
- (m) Imperial Outer Guard;

who collectively are the Imperial Divan.

- § 206.2 **Elections.** Imperial Officers shall be elected in the following manner by a majority of Representatives voting at each annual session for terms expiring at the next annual session when their successors have been elected and installed:

(a) *Time.* The election shall be commenced immediately after the call to order on the second day of the session, unless otherwise ordered by the Imperial Council.

(b) *Qualifications.* Each Imperial Officer at the time of his election must be a Representative to the Imperial Council.

(c) *Nominations.* Nominating speeches shall be limited to one for each candidate and shall not exceed 5 minutes in duration. No seconding speeches are permitted.

§ 206.3 Electioneering for Imperial Office.

(a) *Temple Resolutions Permitted.* A Temple may adopt a resolution endorsing one of its own Representatives as a candidate for an Imperial office; and it may send the resolution, under seal, to all Representatives and to other Temples.

(b) *Other Resolutions Prohibited.* A Temple may not publish or distribute resolutions endorsing any candidate for an Imperial office other than one of its own Representatives. Associations or groups of Nobles or of Temples may not endorse any candidate.

(c) *Improper Electioneering.* A Noble or Temple shall not engage in improper electioneering for or against any candidate for an Imperial office.

§ 206.4 Oath of Office. Imperial Officers shall assume this obligation:

"I, (name in full), do solemnly promise and vow that I will faithfully and to the best of my ability discharge the duties of the office to which I have been elected, and that I will strictly conform to the requirements of Shrine Law."

§ 206.5 Duties. Imperial Officers have the following duties and privileges:

(a) *Imperial Potentate.*

(1) He shall be the chief executive officer of the Imperial Council, and shall exercise general supervision over the Order.

(2) He may grant any dispensation allowed by the By-laws, except a dispensation to form a new Temple.

(3) He shall preside over sessions of the Imperial Council, but he may select another Representative to preside over part or all of a session. He shall have the right to preside over meetings and sessions of Temples.

(4) He may issue General Orders, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation or By-laws, for the government of the Order; and these Orders shall expire at the conclusion of the next annual session.

(5) He may issue Special Orders, not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation or By-laws, directed to specific Temples or Nobles. Each order shall expire when its stated purpose is effected and, in any event, at the end of his term of office.

(6) He may deputize any Noble for a purpose set out in the Special Order of appointment; and the deputy shall return the Special Order of appointment when executed with a written report of his action thereunder.

(7) He may appoint a Noble to serve as Imperial Chaplain.

(8) He shall, with the approval of the Board of Directors, appoint a General Counsel and an Auditor.

(9) He shall have a contingent fund in such amount as the Imperial Council shall provide, from which all expenses of his office shall be paid.

(10) He shall have an emergency fund of \$1,000 from which he may make contributions in the name of the Imperial Council in cases of extraordinary distress. With the written approval of a majority of the Deputy Imperial Potentate, the Imperial Chief Rabban, the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, and the Chairman of the Finance and Accounts Committee, he may make additional contributions out of the general funds of the Imperial Council in the name of the Imperial Council in cases of disaster.

(11) For violation of Shrine law or for conduct unbecoming a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, he may suspend any Noble from membership or office in the Imperial Council or in a Temple until the conclusion of the next session, or for a shorter time. He may recommend extension of such suspension for a longer time, or expulsion; and any such recommendation shall be submitted to the Grievances and Appeals Committee for its consideration, and it shall report thereon to the session.

(12) For violation of Shrine law, he may arrest the charter and suspend the work of any Temple until the conclusion of the next session, or for a shorter time.

(13) He may make decisions concerning the interpretation and application of Shrine law, after receiving the ad-

vice of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee or its Chairman.

(14) He shall submit all of his Orders and decisions at the next session for the approval of the Imperial Council after reference to and reports by appropriate Committees.

(b) Deputy Imperial Potentate.

(1) If the Imperial Potentate dies or if a majority of the Board of Directors determine that he is disabled, the Deputy Imperial Potentate shall act in the place of the deceased Imperial Potentate until his successor is elected, or in the place of the disabled Imperial Potentate during his disability.

(2) He shall perform any other duties assigned to him by the Imperial Potentate.

(c) Imperial Chief and Assistant Rabbans.

(1) If the officer superior to either of them dies or if a majority of the Board of Directors determine that the officer superior to either of them is disabled, each of them, in order of their rank, shall act in the place of the deceased superior until his successor is elected, or in the place of the disabled superior during his disability.

(2) They shall perform any other duties assigned to them by the Imperial Potentate.

(d) Imperial Recorder.

(1) He shall have custody of the seal of the Imperial Council, and he shall affix it to all Orders of the Imperial Potentate, official communications, and other documents.

(2) He shall keep all permanent records with respect to the business of the Imperial Council, the reports of its Committees, and all other records customarily kept and required by the Board of Directors.

(3) He shall notify all Representatives of all sessions of the Imperial Council; and shall notify all Directors of all meetings of the Board of Directors.

(4) He shall furnish uniform credential blanks to all Temples for execution and presentation by Representatives at all sessions.

(5) He shall furnish identification badges for delivery to all

Representatives upon their registration at all sessions; and shall have charge of the distribution of their souvenirs and tickets.

(6) He shall procure 3 Past Imperial Potentate's jewels every third year, to be made according to the approved design, and shall have one at each annual session for presentation to the retiring Imperial Potentate.

(7) He shall attend all sessions and supervise the keeping of a record of all proceedings of the Imperial Council.

(8) He shall make a report to the annual session, summarizing the annual returns of all Temples, including the admissions, affiliations, restorations, suspensions, expulsions, demits and deaths.

(9) He shall collect and receive all revenues of the Imperial Council, and shall deposit them to the credit of the Imperial Council in the depositories approved by the Board of Directors.

(10) He shall collect and receive the hospital levy, keeping a separate account thereof, and shall deposit such receipts to the credit of the Hospitals in approved depositories.

(11) He shall provide for the maintenance of adequate and complete records and books of account, showing the details of all revenues received by him and the sources thereof, and account for the deposit of the same as required by this section, keeping separate the revenues of the Imperial Council and receipts for the Hospitals.

(12) He shall send to each newly instituted Temple, when it receives a dispensation, a copy of the Articles of Incorporation, By-laws, and General Orders then in force.

(13) He shall send annually to each Temple a sufficient supply of dues cards, in a form prescribed by him and approved by the Imperial Potentate; and the cost thereof shall be paid by the Temple.

(14) He shall supervise the keeping of the minutes of the meetings of the Board of Directors.

(15) He shall keep and maintain all budget control records.

(16) He shall perform any other duties assigned to him by these By-laws or the Board of Directors.

(e) *Imperial Treasurer.*

(1) He shall arrange for the payment of all obligations of the Imperial Council, out of appropriations made by the Imperial Council and in accordance with a budget adopted by the Imperial Council.

(2) He shall arrange for the keeping of all financial records and books of account in the general offices of the Imperial Council which are under the direction of the Imperial Recorder unless otherwise provided by order of the Board of Directors and approved by the Imperial Council.

(3) As soon as practicable after the end of each calendar year, he shall cause to be prepared from the records and books and shall submit to the Board of Directors (i) an annual statement of the financial condition of the Imperial Council, showing its assets, its revenues and sources thereof, its liabilities, and its net worth; (ii) an annual operating statement; and (iii) any other or supplementary report or statement necessary to disclose its true financial condition, the nature and current estimated value of its assets, its operating results, its income and the sources thereof, and its reserves and purposes thereof.

(4) He also shall submit his annual report, prepared in accordance with paragraph (3), to the next annual session of the Imperial Council.

(5) He shall arrange for the prudent investment of all funds of the Imperial Council not needed for immediate payment of obligations under current appropriations.

(6) He shall perform any other duties assigned to him by these By-laws or the Board of Directors.

(f) *Other Imperial Officers.* The other Imperial Officers shall perform any duties appropriate to their respective stations or assigned to them by the Imperial Potentate.

(g) *Other Duties.* The Imperial Council may assign other duties to any Imperial Officer.

§ 206.6. **Vacancies.** If either the Imperial Recorder or the Imperial Treasurer dies or if a majority of the Board of Directors determine that either of them is disabled, the Imperial Potentate shall forthwith appoint a Representative to act in the

place of the deceased officer until his successor is elected, or in the place of the disabled officer during his disability.

§ 206.7 **Salaries.** The Imperial Recorder and the Imperial Treasurer shall be paid annual salaries in such amounts as the Imperial Council shall provide.

§ 206.8 **Books of Account and Records.** All of the books of account and records of the Imperial Council shall be delivered by the Imperial Officers to their successors in office at the expiration of their respective terms.

ARTICLE 7

Board of Directors

§ 207.1 **Board of Directors.** The Board of Directors consists of the Imperial Officers and the junior Past Imperial Potentate.

§ 207.2 **Quorum.** A majority of the Directors constitutes a quorum of the Board.

§ 207.3 **Meetings; Notice and Waiver.**

(a) The Board shall meet on call of the Imperial Potentate. He must call a meeting when requested by 5 Directors.

(b) The Imperial Recorder shall give not less than 3 days written or telegraphic notice to each Director of the time and place of the meeting. Notice may be waived in writing.

§ 207.4 **Powers.** The Board has all the powers usually vested in the directors of a business corporation, except as otherwise provided in the Articles of Incorporation, these By-laws, or the laws of the State of Iowa.

ARTICLE 8

Committees

§ 208.1 **Appointment.** All committees of the Imperial Council shall be appointed by the Imperial Potentate. Standing committees shall consist of 7 Representatives. Special committees may consist of as many Nobles as the Imperial Potentate deems advisable, and the Chairman and at least 2/3rds of the other members shall be Representatives.

§ 208.2 **Time of Appointment.** Standing committees shall be appointed immediately before the close of the annual session.

Special committees may be appointed at any time and they shall serve at the pleasure of the Imperial Potentate, unless otherwise provided by the Imperial Council or the Board of Directors.

§ 208.3 **Vacancies.** A vacancy on any committee shall be filled by the Imperial Potentate.

§ 208.4 **Quorum.** A majority of each committee constitutes a quorum.

§ 208.5 **Chairmen and their duties.** The Chairman of each committee shall be named by the Imperial Potentate. During the recess of the Imperial Council, the Chairmen of the standing committees may act for their respective committees in cases in which it is deemed inadvisable or inconvenient to call a meeting of the committee; but during sessions of the Imperial Council all committees shall act as a whole.

§ 208.6 **Standing Committees and Duties.** The standing committees of the Imperial Council and the duties of each are:

(a) *The Jurisprudence and Laws Committee* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning all proposals to amend the Articles of Incorporation or By-laws of the Imperial Council and shall advise the Imperial Potentate concerning Shrine law. Its Chairman and members shall be learned and experienced in the law.

(b) *The Finance and Accounts Committee* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning budgets of income and expenses for the current year and the succeeding year; and shall report to the subsequent annual session any amendments to or departures from the budgets and the reasons therefor. The budgets may be amended by the Board of Directors as circumstances warrant.

(c) *The Dispensations and Charters Committee* shall examine, consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning petitions for dispensation, the work and records of Temples under dispensation, and applications for charters.

(d) *The Jurisdictional Lines Committee* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council on all proposals concerning the establishment and modification of jurisdictional lines between Temples.

(e) *The Grievances and Appeals Committee* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning all matters of controversy, grievance, and appeal presented to the Imperial Council, and the actions and recommendations of the Imperial Potentate regarding suspensions or expulsions of Nobles and the arrest of a charter or suspension of the work of a Temple. It shall have power to receive evidence and hear arguments; and it shall afford any Noble, Officer, Temple or organization of Nobles or Temples the right to appear and be heard.

§ 208.7 **Special Committees and Duties.** The Imperial Potentate shall appoint the following and any other Special Committees he deems advisable. The duties of each are:

(a) *The Credentials Committee* shall examine the credentials of all Representatives and, immediately after the opening of a session, report to the Imperial Council. It also shall report to the Imperial Council concerning any claim of forfeiture of office by a Representative.

(b) *The Committee on Transactions of Imperial Officers* shall consider the reports of the Imperial Officers and shall report thereon to the Imperial Council for topical reference to other appropriate committees.

(c) *The Mileage and Per Diem Committee* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning the mileage and per diem expenses to be paid at each session.

(d) *The Necrology Committee* shall report to the Imperial Council concerning the Illustrious Dead of the Order and shall conduct an appropriate memorial service.

(e) *The Time and Place Committee* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning invitations from Temples desiring to be hosts for the first through the fifth next succeeding annual sessions. The committee shall consist of 10 members including the Deputy Imperial Potentate, the Imperial Chief Rabban, the Imperial Assistant Rabban, the Imperial High Priest and Prophet, the Imperial Oriental Guide, and a Representative from each of 5 geographical areas, namely the Pacific Coast, the Midwest, the Northeast, the Southeast, and the Southwest.

(f) *The Committee on Nomination of Emeriti Representatives* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning all

nominations for Emeriti Representatives. It shall consider only nominations submitted to the Imperial Recorder at least 30 days prior to the annual session.

(g) *The Shrine Rooms Committee* shall have charge of the Shrine Rooms at the George Washington Masonic Memorial at Alexandria, Virginia.

(h) *The Committee on Protection of Emblems, Regalia and Jewels* shall consider and report to the Imperial Council concerning protection of the ancient form of the emblems, regalia and jewels of the Order, and concerning their unauthorized use.

(i) *The Elections Committee* shall have charge of the election of Imperial Officers.

§ 208.8 **Reports of Committees.** All committee reports shall be in writing.

ARTICLE 9

Shrine Associations

§ 209.1 **Associations of Temples.** Any number of Temples may form a Shrine Association, for holding conventions for purely social purposes, when and if the Imperial Council issues a charter therefor.

§ 209.2. **Constitution and By-laws.** An Association of Shrine Temples may have a constitution and by-laws consistent with Shrine law; which, together with any amendments thereto, are subject to the approval of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee and the Imperial Potentate. Their constitutions and by-laws, together with any amendments thereto, shall be filed with the Imperial Recorder. Associations of Shrine Temples are subject to regulation by the Imperial Council.

ARTICLE 10

Prerequisites of the Order

§ 210.1 **Prerequisites.** A Noble must be either (a) a Knight Templar in good standing in a Commandery or Preceptory of Knights Templar in amity with and recognized by the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America; or (b) a 32° Mason in good standing in a Consistory of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the obedience of either the Supreme Council of the Northern or of the

Southern Masonic Jurisdiction of such Rite in the United States, or of a Supreme Council in amity with and recognized by either of them.

ARTICLE 11

Revenues

- § 211.1 **Dispensations.** A fee of \$100.00 shall be paid to the Imperial Council with each application for a dispensation to form and open a Temple.
- § 211.2 **Temple Charters.** A fee of \$50.00 shall be paid to the Imperial Council upon the issuance of each charter for a Temple.
- § 211.3 **Candidates.** A fee of \$2.50 shall be paid to the Imperial Council for each candidate initiated by the Temple of which he becomes a member; and the Imperial Recorder shall issue a diploma to each candidate initiated.
- § 211.4. **Annual Per Capita Tax.**
- (a) Each Temple shall pay an annual per capita tax to the Imperial Council of \$1.10 for each member of the Temple.
 - (b) The full amount of the per capita tax shall be passed on to each member as a part of his annual dues, unless the Temple, by affirmative vote at a stated meeting, elects to absorb all or part of the per capita tax, in which event that part not absorbed by the Temple shall be passed on to each member as a part of his annual dues.
 - (c) The increase in per capita tax from 60 cents to \$1.10 is effective January 1, 1965.
- § 211.5 **Payment of Per Capita Tax.** The annual per capita tax may be paid to the Imperial Recorder as follows:
- (a) With the annual return, but not later than March 31, 50%;
 - (b) Not later than June 1, 35%; and
 - (c) Not later than October 1, the remaining 15%.
- § 211.6 **Distribution of Per Capita Tax.** Of the annual per capita tax, 10 cents shall be set apart and used for such financial aid in connection with the current annual session of the Imperial Council as the Imperial Potentate deems necessary. The balance of the annual per capita tax shall be used for the general expenses of the Imperial Council.

- § 211.7 **Rituals.** A fee of \$5.00 shall be paid to the Imperial Council for each ritual issued to a Temple.
- § 211.8 **Shrine Association Charters.** A fee of \$25.00 shall be paid to the Imperial Council with each application for a charter for an Association of Shrine Temples.
- § 211.9 **Hospital Levy.** Each Temple shall remit its hospital levy, as required by § 332.3, to the Imperial Recorder; but the hospital levy shall be treated as a trust fund for the use and benefit of the Hospitals rather than as revenue for the Imperial Council.

ARTICLE 12

Ritual

- § 212.1 **Promulgation.** The ritual of the Order shall be promulgated by the Imperial Council.
- § 212.2 **Alterations or Additions.** No alterations or additions shall be made to the ritual except by the Imperial Council.

ARTICLE 13

Fez, Emblems, Colors and Jewel

- § 213.1 **Fez.** The exclusive head covering of the Order shall be the red fez with a black tassel.

(a) *Jewel and Name of Temple.* The name of the Temple of which the Noble is an active member, together with a facsimile of a scimitar and that portion of the jewel of the Order consisting of the crescent, sphinx head and star, may be embroidered on the fez with gold or silver bullion or silk.

(b) *Titles.* The Imperial Chaplain, Potentates, Past Potentates, Recorders and Divan members may have their titles embroidered in small letters in gold or silver bullion or silk beneath the emblem on the fez. Active members of official uniformed units of a Temple may likewise have the names of their units beneath the emblem on the fez.

(c) *Imperial Officers.* The Imperial Potentate shall have a row of 5 gold stars beneath the emblem on his fez. Each Past Imperial Potentate shall have a row of 5 stars, the 2 outermost of silver and the other 3 of gold. Each of the other Imperial Officers, past or current, shall have a row of 3 gold stars beneath the emblem on his fez.

(d) *Adornment.* The embroidery on the fez may be adorned with rhinestone jewels of a size no larger than those officially recognized by the Imperial Council as number 12. One pin may be used to hold the tassel in place.

(e) *Fez, how and when worn.* The fez shall be worn in its proper shape without crushing, creasing or alteration; and no device, ornament, title, wording or adornment other than that permitted by this section may be used on the fez. The fez may be worn only at meetings and gatherings of Nobles held under the authority of some legal body of the Order. It may not be worn when or where prohibited by the Imperial Potentate.

§ 213.2 **Emblems.** The emblems of the Order are the Crescent, Scimitar, Pyramid, Sphinx Head, Panther-bodied Female Sphinx, Urn, Sun, Moon, and Stars.

§ 213.3 **Colors.** The colors of the Order are red, green and yellow.

§ 213.4 **Jewel.** The Jewel of the Order is the Crescent, formed of 2 nails from a tiger's paw, united at their bases with a band of gold, with a ring at the base from which it is suspended with the points downward. The gold band is decorated with the Sphinx Head on one side and a Pyramid with Urn on the other; and engraved upon its sides are the name of its owner and the date he received the Order. Inside the circle is the word "Allah" and the motto "Robur et Furor." Every Noble is entitled to wear the Jewel. The Jewel may not be combined with emblems of any other organization, either Masonic or profane.

ARTICLE 14

Fiscal and Legal

§ 214.1 **Bonds.** Corporate fidelity bonds shall be obtained at the expense of the Imperial Council in a form and amount approved by the Imperial Potentate and the General Counsel, indemnifying the Imperial Council against losses resulting from infidelity, defalcation or misappropriation by officers, employees or agents of funds, property and securities owned by or under the control of the Imperial Council.

§ 214.2 **Checks and Payment of Funds.** Funds on deposit in banks may be withdrawn only by voucher check, upon the sig-

natures of the Imperial Potentate, the Imperial Treasurer, and The Imperial Recorder; but funds may be transferred to the credit of a like account from one depository to another by written or telegraphic order of any one officer so authorized by the Board of Directors.

- § 214.3 **Imprest Account.** The Board of Directors may establish a special account, not exceeding \$10,000.00, for the prompt payment of budgeted expenses, employing the imprest system; and it may authorize checks to be drawn thereon upon the signature of any one officer.
- § 214.4 **Auditor and Audit Report.** The Auditor shall be a Noble and a Certified or Chartered Public Accountant. Before May 1st of each year he shall audit the accounts and books of the Imperial Council in such manner and to the extent required by the Board of Directors. He shall verify the correctness of the Imperial Treasurer's report, statement of condition and statement of operating results. In his certificate, the Auditor shall state the extent of and any limitations in his audit and examination; and, subject to such limitations and exceptions, he shall certify the correctness of the books and accounts of the Imperial Council. The audit report setting forth the statements, together with his verification as to correctness, shall be printed and a copy thereof shall be sent, along with the notice of the annual session; to each Representative. Upon request, the details of all transactions for the audited year shall be made available to any Representative.
- § 214.5 **General Counsel.** The General Counsel shall be a Noble and a member of the Bar who is learned and experienced in the law. He shall advise and consult with the officers and agents of the Imperial Council concerning the law of the land, render such legal advice and assistance as may be required to properly transact its business, and perform any other duties properly delegated to him. He shall have the right to the floor at any session. He shall have charge of and be responsible to the Board of Directors for the conduct and handling of all legal matters assigned to him. All of his files, records and documents shall belong to the Imperial Council and shall be maintained under his control in the space and location provided and ordered by the Board of Directors.

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- § 320.1 **Name.** Every Temple must select an appropriate name, approved by the Imperial Council.
- § 320.2 **Seal.** Every Temple must have a seal, bearing its name and location. An impression and facsimile of the seal must be deposited with the Imperial Recorder.

ARTICLE 21***Temple Flag***

- § 321.1 **Dimensions.** The official Temple Flag of the Order is of silk, approximately 5 ft. 2 in. on the fly, 3 ft. 6 in. on the hoist.
- § 321.2 **Colors.** The colors are: Top, $\frac{1}{4}$ hoist red; middle, $\frac{1}{2}$ hoist yellow; bottom, $\frac{1}{4}$ hoist green; bound with a $2\frac{1}{2}$ in. yellow silk hand-knotted fringe.
- § 321.3 **Wording.** The following wording only may be displayed: On the red band, the name of the Temple; on the yellow band, the capital letters A.A.O.N.M.S. in connection with the emblematic jewel suspended from a scimitar; on the green band, the name of the city and state where the Temple is located.
- § 321.4 **Staff.** There is attached to the head of the pike a $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. wide by 9 in. high star and crescent with the points upward and a $\frac{1}{4}$ in. yellow silk cord 9 ft. long with tassels.
- § 321.5 **Sale.** The exclusive right to make and sell this flag is vested in the Imperial Council, and it shall arrange for the manufacture and sale of the flags to the Temples.

ARTICLE 22***Temple Charter and Location***

- § 322.1 **Recognition.** Only Temples chartered or under dispensation by the Imperial Council are recognized as a part of the Order.

§ 322.2 **Authority.** A charter or dispensation from the Imperial Council constitutes the authority of a Temple to meet and work.

§ 322.3 **Exhibit of charter.** The charter must be properly preserved and prominently displayed.

§ 322.4 **Loss of charter.** If a charter is lost or destroyed, the Temple must immediately apply to the Imperial Council for a duplicate for which \$25 shall be charged.

§ 322.5 **Change of location.** A Temple may change its location in the following manner:

(a) The proposal to move the location of the Temple must be in writing, signed by at least 100 members of the Temple, setting forth the details of the proposal. It must be presented to the Potentate.

(b) Thereupon the Potentate shall direct the Recorder to mail a notice of the proposal to each member stating that a meeting of the Temple will be held within 90 days to vote upon the proposal.

(c) Before the expiration of 30 days after the receipt of the proposal by the Potentate, he shall fix the time and place of the meeting and notify the Recorder.

(d) Thereafter not less than 20 days nor more than 30 days prior to the meeting, the Recorder shall mail to each member a notice of the exact time and place thereof.

(e) If 2/3rds or more of the members voting at the meeting are in favor of changing the location of the Temple, the result of the election shall be certified to the Imperial Recorder who shall submit it to the Imperial Council at the next annual meeting.

(f) If the Imperial Council finds the move to be in the best interests of the Order, it may approve the proposal and order an amendment to the charter changing the location of the Temple.

ARTICLE 23

Temple Membership

§ 323.1 **Temple; how constituted.** A Temple consists of its officers and as many members as it admits.

§ 323.2 **Petition, form.** The form of the petition for membership shall be prescribed by the Imperial Council.

§ 323.3 **Prerequisite for membership.**

(a) A Temple may not accept a petition from a candidate unless he is in good standing as:

(1) A Knight Templar in a Commandery or Preceptory of Knights Templar in amity with and recognized by the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America; or

(2) A 32° Mason in a Consistory of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the obedience of either the Supreme Council of the Northern or of the Southern Masonic Jurisdiction of such Rite in the United States or of a Supreme Council in amity with and recognized by either of them.

(b) A Temple may not add to or take from the qualifications for membership in Temples as fixed by these By-laws. A Temple may not require that a candidate must be both a 32° Mason and a Knight Templar.

§ 323.4 **Residence.**

(a) A petitioner must be an actual resident for at least 6 months in the jurisdiction of the Temple to which he applies.

(b) Actual residence is defined as the place where the applicant in good faith makes his home.

(c) Any Temple may receive and act upon the petition of one whose residence is not within the jurisdiction of another Temple.

(d) Any member of the armed forces or diplomatic service of the United States, Canada or Mexico, may petition any Temple within the jurisdiction of which he may at the time be stationed without reference to his actual place of residence, and thereupon, after election as provided in § 323.5 may be initiated by and become a member of the Temple.

§ 323.5 **Balloting.**

(a) Subsequent to a report on a candidate's petition, the ballot is passed, and if less than 3 black balls appear, he is elected.

(b) If the ballot reveals 3 black balls, another ballot is passed

immediately. If 3 black balls appear a second time, the candidate is rejected.

(c) A written objection, signed by at least 3 members of the Temple in good standing, presented to the Potentate or the Recorder prior to the time balloting is commenced, has the same effect as an adverse ballot.

(d) In Temples where written notice of all candidates' petitions has been mailed to the members not less than one week before the date set for the balloting, any written objection provided for in subsection (c) must be received by the Potentate or the Recorder at least 48 hours before the time specified in the notice for balloting.

(e) After the balloting is completed and the candidates are declared elected and notified, no objection made thereafter with respect to the candidates may be considered unless ordered by vote of the Temple.

(f) A rejected candidate may not apply again for 13 weeks.

§ 323.6 Candidate; when initiated.

(a) A Temple may not initiate or obligate a candidate except at a stated meeting or ceremonial session, unless a special dispensation is granted by the Imperial Potentate.

(b) Application for special dispensation must be made at least one week before the dispensation is to be used, and must also be accompanied by a full statement of the facts and circumstances justifying the issuance.

§ 323.7 Membership in only one Temple. A Noble may hold active membership in only one Temple.

§ 323.8 Retention of membership.

(a) In order to retain membership in a Temple, a Noble must maintain the requirements of § 323.3 (a).

(b) If a Noble holds membership in both prerequisite bodies, his membership in the Temple is not affected by the loss of his membership in one prerequisite body.

(c) If a Noble holds membership in only one of the prerequisite bodies and for any cause loses that membership, he loses his membership in his Temple until restored to good standing by that prerequisite body, whereupon he is restored to good

standing in his Temple without vote of the Temple. He may not be charged with dues to the Temple while deprived of membership.

(d) The acquisition of membership in the other prerequisite body subsequent to his loss of membership in his Temple does not restore him to good standing in the Temple, but he may be restored by ballot pursuant to § 323.5.

(e) If a Noble loses his membership in a prerequisite body for any reason other than nonpayment of dues, the loss of membership in his Temple is effective when it becomes final in the prerequisite body.

(f) A Temple must honor an official written notice from a prerequisite Masonic body concerning the loss of membership in that body by a member of the Temple.

§ 323.9 Suspension or Termination of membership.

(a) Rights of membership in a Temple are suspended by:

(1) Voluntary demission upon payment of all indebtedness, assessments and voluntary obligations to the Temple; or

(2) Suspension for nonpayment of dues; or

(3) Suspension for other cause.

(b) Membership is terminated by:

(1) Expulsion; or

(2) Death

§ 323.10 Demit.

(a) A demit specifies that at the time of its issue the Noble named therein was (1) in good standing, (2) free from charges, and (3) free from indebtedness, assessments and voluntary obligations to the Temple.

(b) A Temple cannot withhold a demit from a Noble applying and who qualifies for it under (a).

(c) A Temple may issue a duplicate demit to a Noble.

(d) A demit may be issued by the Potentate and Recorder of the Temple between stated meetings of the Temple. A record of a demit so issued must be made and reported to the Temple at its next succeeding stated meeting.

(e) A demit, when granted, is effective for all purposes as of

the date of the filing of the written application therefor with the Recorder of the Temple.

(f) A demit entitles the holder to affiliate with a Temple only pursuant to these By-laws.

§ 323.11 Suspension for nonpayment of dues.

(a) A Temple may not carry a member on the books who is more than 2 years in arrears. The Temple must either suspend him or remit his dues.

(b) Whenever adopted, any order of suspension shall be effective as of December 31 of the last year of the delinquency.

(c) A Noble may be suspended for nonpayment of dues in the following manner:

(1) He must be notified by first class mail that he is in arrears;

(2) He must be given an opportunity to be heard;

(3) He must be admitted to the Temple for this purpose even though he is in arrears; and

(4) A majority of members present at a stated meeting must vote to suspend him.

(d) One who has been suspended for nonpayment of dues may be restored in the following manner:

(1) Written application for restoration must be made, accompanied by written evidence that he is in good standing in his prerequisite body;

(2) Without a vote of the Temple upon terms authorized by the Temple; and

(3) The restoration must be reported to the Temple at its next stated meeting and recorded in the minutes.

§ 323.12 Past Potentates. A Past Potentate who becomes a member of another Temple is entitled to be classified as a Past Potentate in that Temple.

§ 323.13 Life Membership. Life Membership may be granted for meritorious service or upon payment of the fee prescribed in § 332.4.

§ 323.14 Honorary Membership.

(a) Honorary membership may be conferred by a Temple

upon any Noble, as a compliment, by a majority vote, but this membership confers no rights or privileges.

(b) The issuance of annual membership cards to honorary members is prohibited.

ARTICLE 24

Temple Meetings; Notice and Quorum

- § 324.1 **Stated meetings.** Every Temple must hold a stated meeting at least once in each calendar quarter. The Imperial Potentate may grant a special dispensation to change the date of any stated meeting. The first meeting of each calendar year must be held in January and it is the annual meeting at which the election of officers shall be held.
- § 324.2 **Ceremonial sessions.** Ceremonial sessions may be called by the Potentate at any time.
- § 324.3 **Special meetings.** Special meetings may be called by the Potentate at any time, but notice must be given to each member stating the business to be considered and no other business than that specified in the call may be transacted.
- § 324.4 **Sunday meetings prohibited.** A Temple may not hold a business meeting or ceremonial session on Sunday.
- § 324.5 **Notice of meetings.** Unless a longer time is specified in these By-laws, not less than one week's notice must be given of the time and place of all meetings and ceremonial sessions.
- § 324.6 **Quorum.** A quorum consists of 7 members of the Temple entitled to vote, one of whom must be the Potentate, the Chief Rabban, the Assistant Rabban or a Past Potentate of the Temple.
- § 324.7 **Presiding officer.**
- (a) The Potentate shall open and preside at all meetings and sessions of the Temple.
 - (b) The Chief Rabban shall preside in the absence of the Potentate.
 - (c) In the absence of both the Potentate and the Chief Rabban, the Assistant Rabban shall preside.

(d) In the absence of all 3 of these officers, a Past Potentate of the Temple shall preside.

§ 324.8 **Powers reserved for Temple action.** All powers not delegated to officers or committees by these By-laws or by the approved By-laws of the Temple are reserved for action of the members at meetings.

ARTICLE 25

Officers; Their Election or Appointment

§ 325.1 **Officers.** The officers of a Temple are:

- (a) Potentate Shayk
- (b) Chief Rabban Emeer
- (c) Assistant Rabban Sahib
- (d) High Priest and Prophet Iman
- (e) Oriental Guide Ayn
- (f) Treasurer Chayzin
- (g) Recorder Katib
- (h) First Ceremonial Master Wakil
- (i) Second Ceremonial Master Alam
- (j) Director Malah
- (k) Marshal Amal
- (l) Captain of the Guard Rays
- (m) Outer Guard Hafiz

§ 325.2 **Election.**

(a) The first 7 officers shall be elected annually by ballot and constitute the official Divan.

(b) A Noble may not serve as Potentate of any Temple for more than 2 years.

§ 325.3 **Appointment.** The other officers named in § 325.1 shall be appointed by the Potentate.

§ 325.4 **When elected.** Each Temple must elect its Officers and Representatives at its annual meeting in January.

§ 325.5 **Ballot.** Election of officers shall be by separate written ballot and by a majority vote of those present and voting. A blanket ballot is prohibited.

- § 325.6 **Time of election.** Balloting must commence not later than 9:00 P.M. and when that hour arrives all other business must cease and none may be transacted until the election is concluded.
- § 325.7 **Other officers.** The Temple may elect such other officers as its By-laws provide.
- § 325.8 **Nomination.** Candidates for office and Representative must be placed in nomination from the floor. Nominating committees are prohibited.
- § 325.9 **Representatives.**
- (a) Where a Temple elects more than one Representative, all candidates must be balloted for on one written ballot.
 - (b) Each member voting must vote only for the total number of Representatives to be elected, otherwise his ballot cannot be counted as a vote.
 - (c) A majority vote of those present and voting is necessary to elect each Representative.
 - (d) Only those candidates who receive a majority vote shall be declared elected.
 - (e) Successive written ballots must then be taken in the same manner on other candidates until all Representatives are elected.
 - (f) If more candidates receive a majority vote than the number of Representatives to be elected, then those receiving the greatest number of votes shall be declared elected.
 - (g) Blank ballots are not votes.
- § 325.10 **Election regulations.**
- (a) The printing, publication, circulating or distribution of resolutions, letters, telegrams, tickets or other devices, by a Noble, suggesting, recommending, opposing or containing the names of proposed candidates for office in the Temple is prohibited.
 - (b) For any violation of (a), the Imperial Potentate may suspend any offending Noble, and he may declare the election of the officers void and order a new election.
 - (c) At least one week prior to the annual meeting or any election the Temple Recorder shall mail to each member a notice thereof containing this section.

§ 325.11 **Postponed election.** If it is impossible to hold the election as required, or if it appears to the Imperial Potentate proper, he may grant a special dispensation changing the date of the annual election.

§ 325.12 **Vacancies.** An office becomes vacant in the event an officer or Representative dies, resigns, moves and resides permanently outside the jurisdiction of the Imperial Council, is suspended, is expelled, is adjudged mentally incompetent, is physically incompetent, is convicted of a felony or of any criminal offense involving moral turpitude.

§ 325.13 **Filling Vacancies.**

(a) A special election may be held without a dispensation to fill a vacancy in elective office.

(b) Any vacancy that may occur by the promotion of any officer at any special election may also be filled at that election.

(c) Vacancies in appointive office shall be filled by the Potentate.

(d) A Noble cannot be compelled to accept an election or appointment to office.

§ 325.14 **Filling vacancies in particular offices.**

(a) If the vacancy is in the office of an elected Representative, and time is not sufficient to call a special election, the Potentate shall appoint a Representative, and notice of the appointment, by letter or telegram, must reach the Imperial Recorder's office before 9:00 A.M. on the 5th day preceding the next opening session of the Imperial Council, in order to qualify the Representative.

(b) If the vacancy is in the office of Recorder or Treasurer and results from any of the causes stated in § 325.12, the Potentate shall appoint a member to fill the vacancy until a successor has been elected and installed.

§ 325.15 **Report of election.** The result of any election shall be reported forthwith to the Imperial Recorder.

ARTICLE 26

Enthronement and Installation of Temple Officers

§ 326.1 **Obligation for all officers.** The officers of every Temple

before entering upon the discharge of their respective duties must take the following obligation:

"I (name in full) do solemnly promise and vow that I will faithfully, and to the best of my ability, discharge the duties of the office to which I have been elected, and that I will strictly conform to the requirements of Shrine law and the By-laws of my Temple."

§ 326.2 **Additional obligation for Potentate.** Previous to the enthronement of a Potentate he must assent to the following ordinances:

DO YOU SOLEMNLY VOW, UPON YOUR HONOR:

That you will exert your best endeavors to promote the true happiness of your brother Nobles of the Mystic Shrine?

That you will endeavor to promote the general good of the Order and observe the solemnity of the ceremonies with profound respect and reverence?

That you will not acknowledge or have intercourse with any Temple which does not work under constitutional authority as recognized by the Imperial Council?

That you will ever maintain and support the authority of the Imperial Council, and enforce obedience to Shrine law?

Do you submit to all these ordinances and promise to observe and practice them faithfully?

Answer:

§ 326.3 **Installation.**

(a) The officers shall be installed immediately after election, or at the first succeeding meeting of the Temple in accordance with the ceremony of installation prescribed by the Imperial Council.

(b) They shall assume the duties of their respective offices upon installation.

(c) If the installation is public, the officers must take the oath of office previous thereto in the body of the Temple, when properly guarded.

ARTICLE 27

Duties of Temple Officers

§ 327.1 **Potentate.**

(a) The Potentate is responsible to the Imperial Council for the government of his Temple.

(b) It is his duty to require that his Temple, its officers and members at all times observe Shrine law and the By-laws of his Temple.

(c) He shall appoint the Temple officers and committees to be appointed.

(d) He shall require that accurate records are kept and just accounts rendered.

(e) He shall require that regular returns are made to the Imperial Council and that candidate fees, annual per capita taxes, hospital levies and assessments are promptly paid.

(f) He shall require that no fewer than 4 stated meetings are held annually, of which one shall be held in January as provided in § 324.1.

§ 327.2 Chief Rabban.

(a) In addition to his other duties, the Chief Rabban must prepare and complete the Temple budget for the ensuing year in time for submission at the Temple meeting at which the budget is approved.

(b) A Temple may provide in its By-laws for some different method of preparing the annual budget.

§ 327.3 Recorder.

(a) It is the duty of the Recorder to:

(1) Keep accurate minutes of the proceedings of the Temple.

(2) Issue notice to the members of each meeting.

(3) Keep a just and true account with each member of the Temple.

(4) Present his books and papers to the auditor whenever required.

(5) Keep a register of the members of the Temple showing the name, age, occupation, date of creation and address of each member, and any withdrawal, death, suspension or expulsion, as the case may be.

(6) Furnish his facsimile signature to the Imperial Recorder.

(7) Unless otherwise provided in the By-laws of the Temple, he may with the consent of the official Divan, hire employees or independent contractors for the Temple.

(8) At the annual meeting, render a complete report of the

finances, investments, membership and other matters of interest in which his office is concerned.

(9) Before February 1 each year, transmit to the Imperial Recorder in the form prescribed, the annual returns for the Temple.

(10) Arrange to remit to the Imperial Recorder the per capita tax on the basis of \$1.10 per member as follows:

- (i) With the annual return, 50%;
- (ii) Before June 1st, 35%; and
- (iii) Before October 1st, the remaining 15%.

(11) Arrange to remit \$2.50 of the initiation fee for every initiate immediately after the initiation to the Imperial Recorder who shall issue a diploma of the Imperial Council to each candidate initiated.

(12) Issue official Shrine cards to members entitled to the same.

(13) Affix the official seal of the Temple to and attest official documents.

(b) Unless the Temple By-laws specifically assign the following duties to another officer, it is the duty of the Recorder to:

(1) Receive all funds accruing to the Temple and promptly deposit them to the credit of the Temple in approved depositories.

(2) Keep the books of account and records of the Temple.

(3) Carefully preserve and file his memoranda of payment of obligations of the Temple.

(4) Draw checks, vouchers or orders for the payment of obligations of the Temple, any sums due the Imperial Council, or other authorized disbursements.

(5) Report the amount of all funds received and disbursements thereof as often as the Temple or the Potentate may require.

(6) Submit to the members of the Temple at each annual meeting a complete report of the receipts and disbursements for the preceding fiscal year.

(7) Keep the budget control records.

§ 327.4 **Treasurer.** Unless the Temple By-laws specifically assign

the following duties to another officer, it is the duty of the Treasurer to:

- (a) Act as custodian of all funds.
- (b) Sign all checks for the withdrawal of funds.
- (c) Examine as often as necessary the financial records and books of account of the Temple.
- (d) When requested at any meeting of the Temple, give a financial report of the income and expenditures of the Temple since the last report.
- (e) Prepare from books and records of the Temple and submit at its annual meeting the following information:
 - (1) An annual statement of the financial condition;
 - (2) An annual operating statement; and
 - (3) Any other or supplementary report or statement necessary to disclose the true financial condition, the nature and current value of the assets, the operating results, the income and sources thereof, of the Temple and any affiliated subsidiary or appendant corporation or fund.
- (f) Present his books and papers to the auditor whenever required.

§ 327.5 **Other financial officers.** The By-laws of a Temple may provide for the election or appointment of other financial officers such as an "Executive Committee," "Finance Committee" or "Board of Trustees." If so:

- (a) The financial affairs of a Temple cannot be vested exclusively in such officers.
- (b) These officers when requested shall make periodic reports at Temple meetings of deviations from the approved budget as amended.
- (c) The actions of the financial officers shall be subject to review by the Temple at a stated meeting.

§ 327.6 **Other officers.** The remaining officers shall perform the duties appropriate to their several stations and those assigned to them by the Potentate or the Temple.

§ 327.7 **Delivery of Temple records.** Each officer shall deliver all books, papers and other property of the Temple in his hands to his successor in office, or to such person and at such time as the Temple may direct.

ARTICLE 28***Temple Jurisdiction and Waivers***

§ 328.1 **Sovereign.** Each Temple, subject to Shrine law, whether acting under dispensation or charter, is sovereign in its own territorial jurisdiction in all matters pertaining to the Order.

§ 328.2 **Extent.**

(a) Unless otherwise determined in Part IV of these By-laws, the territorial jurisdiction of each Temple extends in all directions to $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance by direct line between itself and the nearest Temple.

(b) In no case can jurisdiction extend beyond the limits of the state in which the Temple is located unless there is an agreement between it and the other Temples affected.

(c) Temples in the same state may agree upon concurrent jurisdiction within the state or an equitable division of their territory.

(d) Unless otherwise determined every Temple has exclusive jurisdiction in the city and county in which the Temple is located, except that a second Temple may exist in the same county in any city, not having a Temple, having a population of not less than 200,000 as determined by the official statement of the State Chamber of Commerce or an equally responsible state or district authority for the current year.

(e) A signed copy of any agreement between Temples affecting or fixing territorial jurisdiction must be filed with the Imperial Recorder.

§ 328.3 **Change in jurisdictional lines.**

(a) Application for the establishment or change of jurisdictional lines must be filed with the Imperial Recorder at least 60 days prior to the annual session of the Imperial Council.

(b) The Imperial Recorder must notify the Temples affected and give full information on the application so that objections to the change may be presented to the Imperial Council.

(c) If the application for the establishment or change of jurisdictional lines is refused by the Imperial Council, no further application may be made until the 3rd annual Imperial Council session thereafter.

(d) By appropriate amendment to Part IV of these By-laws, the Imperial Council may declare concurrent jurisdiction or an equitable division of territory between all Temples in states where more than one Temple exists, if it appears for the best interests of the Order to do so.

§ 328.4 Waivers.

(a) A Temple may not act upon a petition for initiation of any one residing within the exclusive jurisdiction of another Temple, without first obtaining a waiver from that Temple.

(b) A Temple may waive its jurisdiction and permit another Temple to initiate a candidate residing within its jurisdiction.

(1) Where the fee of the Temple granting a waiver is greater than the fee of the Temple requesting a waiver, the candidate must pay to the requesting Temple a fee equivalent to that he would have paid to the Temple granting the waiver.

(2) The requesting Temple then shall remit the difference in fee to the Imperial Recorder and that amount is paid over to the Hospitals.

(c) Where 2 or more Temples hold concurrent jurisdiction over territory, a waiver from each is necessary to enable a petitioner of that jurisdiction to be created a Noble of a Temple in any other jurisdiction.

(d) The Potentate does not have the power to grant a waiver, but it is given only by authority and under the seal of the Temple granting it.

(e) A Temple may not grant a blanket waiver.

§ 328.5 Another Temple may initiate.

(a) A Temple may request, under seal, another Temple to initiate an elected candidate as a favor to the requesting Temple.

(b) The Temple initiating the candidate must certify that fact, under seal, to the Temple in which the candidate was elected.

(c) The Temple which elected the candidate enters this official communication upon its record, places his name upon its membership list and he then becomes a member of that Temple.

§ 328.6 Where petitioner must apply.

(a) A petitioner, actually residing within a Temple jurisdic-

tion, may not petition elsewhere for initiation without a waiver from the Temple.

(b) A Temple retains jurisdiction over an elected petitioner until his initiation, but not longer than one year, even though he subsequently removes from its territorial jurisdiction.

(c) A candidate must present himself for initiation within one year after his election; thereafter his petition and election are void.

(d) Temples in concurrent jurisdiction must notify each other of the names and addresses of all petitioners rejected or to whom objections have been made, residing in the territory of concurrent jurisdiction.

§ 328.7 Where Temple may hold ceremonials.

(a) A Temple may open, elect candidates and initiate them at any place within its exclusive jurisdiction, but no other business may be transacted at that ceremonial session unless it is held at the location of the Temple.

(b) Where 2 or more Temples hold concurrent jurisdiction over territory, all ceremonial sessions must be held at the location of the Temple; but upon request of a Temple accompanied by written consent of the other Temples holding concurrent jurisdiction, the Imperial Potentate may grant a dispensation to hold a ceremonial session at any place requested in the concurrent jurisdiction.

(c) A Temple may hold a ceremonial session in states, territories or countries where no Temple exists, providing it obtains a special dispensation from the Imperial Potentate.

§ 328.8 Affiliation by demit. The holder of a demit from a Temple is governed by the following:

(a) He may affiliate with a Temple within the jurisdiction of which he is and for at least 6 months has been an actual resident, and may be accepted only under the provisions of § 323.5.

(b) If he resides in concurrent jurisdiction, he cannot demit from one Temple and affiliate with another Temple holding the same jurisdiction without the consent of the Temple granting the demit.

(c) He may affiliate with any Temple if the Temple, within

whose jurisdiction he has been an actual resident for the preceding 6 months, grants a waiver.

(d) If for the preceding 6 months he has been a resident of the jurisdiction of the Temple which issued his demit, and with which he desires to reaffiliate, he must submit his written application with the original demit attached, and may be restored to membership without a vote of the Temple. The application must be accompanied by written evidence that he is in good standing in his prerequisite body. The reaffiliation must be reported to the Temple at its next stated meeting and recorded in the minutes.

ARTICLE 29

Dispensation for New Temple

§ 329.1 Requirements.

(a) Dispensation for a new Temple may be granted only by the Imperial Council after a petition is filed.

(b) The petition must be signed by 1,000 Nobles in good standing whose dues are paid in full at the time the petition is signed and who reside in the proposed territory of the new Temple.

(c) The dispensation may not be granted in the event that the membership of any Temple in the same jurisdiction, or the nearest Temple in another jurisdiction, is or would be reduced to less than 3,000 members by the withdrawal of the petitioners for the dispensation.

(d) The Imperial Council may grant a dispensation for a Temple in the Capital City of Canada or in unoccupied territory without regard to the restriction in (c).

(e) The petitioners must give satisfactory evidence of good standing in the Order, and that they have the ability to procure a suitable place of meeting, together with an agreement to procure proper furniture and paraphernalia for the use of the new Temple.

§ 329.2 Application, form and procedure.

(a) The application for dispensation must be in the prescribed form furnished by the Imperial Recorder and must have printed therein in red ink § 329.4 (b).

(b) It must be in duplicate, one copy for the Imperial Recorder, and the other kept by the applicants for reference.

(c) The application as filed, must bear the date it was issued by the Imperial Recorder and will be void after the passage of 24 months from that date, unless specifically extended by appropriate action of the Imperial Council.

(d) Every name on the application must be the actual signature of a Noble who is one of the applicants, and when signed the name cannot be withdrawn from the application except as provided in (e) and (f).

(e) A signature may be withdrawn upon the written request of the signer and may be for no other reason than that his signature was obtained by false representations. The written request for the withdrawal showing the reasons therefor must be attached to the application for the dispensation when presented to the Imperial Council, otherwise the original signature must stand.

(f) If, after the application for a dispensation is filed with the Imperial Recorder, in accordance with (g), a signer of the application desires to withdraw his name, he must send his request in writing stating the reasons therefor directly to the Imperial Recorder who shall erase the name from the application, if the reasons are as provided in this section, and attach the authority for the erasure to the application before presenting it to the Imperial Council, and furnish the list of the withdrawing signatories to the applicants, or their representatives, proposing to organize the new Temple.

(g) The application must be filed with the Imperial Recorder at least 90 days prior to the annual session of the Imperial Council, and notice of the application must be published in the official call for the Imperial Council session. Unless the application is filed and published as herein provided, it must lie over until the next annual session of the Imperial Council. Supplemental lists of names may be added to the application for dispensation providing they are filed with the Imperial Recorder at least 60 days prior to the annual session of the Imperial Council.

§ 329.3 Action by Imperial Council.

(a) When the application for a dispensation is received by the

Imperial Recorder he must notify the Temples which might reasonably be affected at least 30 days prior to the session of the Imperial Council, giving full information in regard to the application, in order that objections to the granting of the dispensation may be presented to the Imperial Council.

(b) Every report of the Committee on Dispensations and Charters which recommends the granting of a dispensation for a new Temple must contain a specific designation of the territorial jurisdiction of the new Temple. This jurisdiction is determined on recommendation of the Committee on Dispensations and Charters and the Committee on Jurisdictional Lines, acting jointly, after affording all affected Temples an opportunity to be heard on the matter at a joint meeting of the Committees.

(c) A charter may not be granted to any Temple until it has been under dispensation for a period of at least the time elapsing between 2 annual sessions of the Imperial Council, and not then until it has provided itself with a proper place of meeting and the necessary paraphernalia for ceremonials, and has at least 1,250 Nobles in good standing on its roll of membership.

(d) When a dispensation for a new Temple is refused by the Imperial Council, no further application may be made until the 3rd annual session thereafter.

§ 329.4 Effect if dispensation is granted.

(a) If the dispensation is granted, the members of the Temple under dispensation are liable for dues for the fractional part of the year remaining after the date of the dispensation, and the Temple is liable in full to the Imperial Council for the hospital levy and fees for new members created.

(b) A Noble who signs an application for a dispensation becomes a member of the Temple under dispensation on the date the dispensation is granted, and is amenable only to it thereafter for dues, hospital levy and assessments. The Temple of which he was a member prior to the dispensation may retain the dues and assessments already received from him for the current year.

§ 329.5 Effect if dispensation or charter refused.

If the dispensation or charter is refused:

(a) All Nobles who signed the application are thereby re-

stored to membership in the Temples of which they were members prior to the dispensation; and

(b) All members of the Temple created therein are entitled to certificates to that effect from the Imperial Recorder. These certificates have the force of demits for the purpose of affiliation.

§ 329.6 Status of Temple under dispensation.

(a) A Temple under dispensation has a legal existence and jurisdiction, and, whether it works or not, this jurisdiction cannot be interfered with except by action of the Imperial Council.

(b) It cannot adopt By-laws until a charter is granted and it is regularly constituted.

(c) It is governed by Shrine law to the extent applicable.

(d) It has no power to elect officers, but must retain its provisional officers until its charter is granted.

(e) The provisional Potentate of a Temple under dispensation is not entitled to the rank of Past Potentate, nor is the Temple entitled to representation in the Imperial Council.

(f) Any vacancy in office of a Temple under dispensation shall be filled by appointment by the Imperial Potentate from its Nobles.

(g) When a charter is granted, the members of the new Temple must hold an election of officers as soon thereafter as possible, in order that the elected officers may be installed at the same time the Temple is constituted.

ARTICLE 30

Discipline by Temples

§ 330.1 Jurisdiction. A Noble is subject to discipline by the Temple of which he is a member, or by the Temple within whose jurisdiction he resides, for conduct unbecoming a Noble of the Mystic Shrine.

§ 330.2 Procedure. Proceedings for the discipline of any Noble by a Temple are as follows:

(a) Any Noble complaining against another Noble of conduct unbecoming a Noble must state the nature and character thereof

in writing, sign the complaint and deliver it to the Potentate of the Temple.

(b) Immediately upon receipt of a complaint it is the duty of the Potentate to appoint a grievance committee of 5 members of the Temple, giving preference to Past Potentates, whose duty it is to thoroughly investigate the complaint. The committee by majority vote must determine whether there is probable cause for believing an offense has been committed, and shall report to the Potentate. The report must be made within 60 days after appointment of the committee.

(c) Immediately upon the receipt of a report from the grievance committee finding probable cause, it is the duty of the Potentate to refer the matter to the Assistant Rabban, or, if he is disqualified from acting, to any other Noble of the Temple designated by the Potentate to serve as alternate, and it is the duty of the Assistant Rabban, or of the alternate, to cause formal written charges to be preferred in the name of the Temple against the offending Noble. The charges, in plain and concise language, must apprise the offending Noble of the offense charged, and when signed by the Assistant Rabban, or the alternate, shall be filed with the Recorder of the Temple.

(d) Immediately upon the filing of the charges it is the duty of the Potentate to appoint a trial committee of 9 impartial Nobles of the Temple in good standing, and to designate a date for the hearing of the charges before the committee, which shall be not less than 15, nor more than 20, days from the date of the selection of the trial committee.

(e) It is the duty of the Recorder of the Temple to cause to be served upon the accused Noble a certified copy of the charges, together with a notice apprising the accused of the time and place of the trial. Service shall be in person by some Noble of the Order in good standing, or by certified mail, addressed to the last known address of the accused Noble. The affidavit of the Noble making service, or of the Recorder, of the mailing by certified mail is prima facie evidence of the service of the notice and charges upon the accused Noble.

(f) It is the duty of the Assistant Rabban or the alternate, in the name of the Temple, to prosecute the charges, and the Temple may have the assistance of counsel in the presentation

of the charges, provided the counsel is a Noble in good standing. The accused also shall have the right of counsel, provided the counsel is a Noble in good standing.

(g) The accused may file written answer to the charges at least 5 days previous to the time set for the hearing.

(h) Upon the date set for hearing, the Noble prosecuting on behalf of the Temple may excuse 2 of the committee chosen by the Potentate, and the accused has the right to excuse 2 of the committee leaving a trial committee of 5. If the accused or the Noble prosecuting on behalf of the Temple fails or refuses to exercise his challenges as above, then the trial committee of 5 shall be chosen by lot. This committee hears the evidence adduced on behalf of the Temple and the accused, and the arguments of counsel, and then proceeds with its deliberations, and ascertains the guilt or innocence of the accused. If the committee finds the accused guilty, it shall fix the punishment, which may be either expulsion, suspension for an indefinite period, or suspension for a definite period. A majority vote of the committee upon the question of guilt and upon the fixing of the punishment shall be required.

(i) After the committee has concluded, it shall make a report of its findings to the Potentate in writing, and at the next stated meeting of the Temple after the trial the report shall be read to the Temple, and the Potentate shall pronounce judgment upon the report. The judgment dates from the time of the pronouncement of judgment by the Potentate, and from that date is final, unless the same is reversed or modified on an appeal therefrom to the Imperial Council.

(j) Either the Temple or the accused has the right within 30 days to appeal to the Imperial Council from any judgment rendered.

(k) The Noble making the complaint has the right within 30 days to appeal to the Imperial Council from the decision of the grievance committee finding no probable cause.

(l) Notice of appeal under (j) or (k) must be filed with the Imperial Recorder within 30 days.

(m) In the event of an appeal, it is the duty of the Temple to file a complete transcript of the proceedings with the Imperial Recorder at least 30 days prior to the next annual session of

the Imperial Council. The Imperial Recorder thereupon shall transmit all the papers pertaining to the appeal to the Chairman of the Grievances and Appeals Committee of the Imperial Council.

(n) If an appeal is taken, the party appealing must pay all the costs and expenses of the transcript of the evidence, unless in the judgment of the Potentate the party appealing is unable to pay the expenses, in which event the Temple must pay.

(o) If the member is suspended for an indefinite period, he is not permitted to petition for restoration until after the expiration of one year from the date of judgment of suspension. Any Noble suspended for an indefinite period may be restored in the following manner: He must present an application for restoration, which shall be read at a stated meeting and laid over until the next stated meeting, and notice of the application must be sent to the members. At the next stated meeting after the presentation of the application, the following question must be put: "Shall the Noble be restored?" If 2/3rds of the members present vote for his restoration, he is restored. If a less number than 2/3rds vote for restoration, he remains suspended, and is not permitted to petition again for a period of one year thereafter.

(p) If the member is expelled he cannot be restored but may petition again for membership as if he had never been a member of the Temple.

(q) No member of the grievance committee and no member of the trial committee may be a relative of the Noble filing charges in the first instance, the accused, or any witness, nor in any way interested in the controversy. If a member of either committee is disqualified, it is the duty of the Potentate to fill the vacancies with disinterested Nobles.

(r) Unless a Noble is disqualified under the provisions of (q), or excused by the Potentate, he is subject to discipline for refusing to serve upon the committees.

(s) In the event the Potentate is disqualified under (q), or for good cause disqualifies himself, the Chief Rabban acts in his stead in the appointment of the committees herein provided.

(t) Any Noble of the Temple is permitted to attend the trial before the trial committee, but the deliberations of the committee upon guilt or innocence and fixing punishment are secret.

(u) The trial committee selects one of its number as Chairman, who administers the oath to all witnesses who are Nobles upon their honor as Nobles. All witnesses who are not Nobles shall be sworn by any officer qualified to administer oaths.

(v) The report of the trial committee must be signed by the entire committee.

(w) The testimony of all witnesses shall be taken by a competent stenographer, so that it may be preserved.

(x) Either the Temple or the accused may take depositions of witnesses who cannot attend the trial, provided reasonable notice of the time and place of the taking thereof is given the opposite party.

(y) Both the Temple and the accused have the right to summon witnesses, and disobedience of a summons subjects an offending Noble to discipline.

Article 31

Temple By-Laws

§ 331.1 **Adoption.** A Temple shall adopt By-laws and may adopt amendments to existing By-laws, if they are consistent with Shrine law and are approved by at least 2/3rds of the members present and voting.

§ 331.2 **Procedure.**

(a) Proposed By-laws or amendments must be presented in writing in the form of a resolution at a stated meeting.

(b) The resolution must be laid over to the next stated meeting or to a special meeting called for action thereon. The notice of the meeting must be sent to every member of the Temple and must recite the text or substance of the proposed By-laws or amendments.

(c) The Temple then may adopt the proposed By-laws or amendments.

(d) Upon the adoption of By-laws or amendments there must be sent to the Imperial Recorder:

(1) 3 copies thereof, together with a certificate of their adoption signed by the Potentate, attested by the Recorder, with the Seal of the Temple affixed,

(2) A copy of the notice given, and

(3) A copy of the Temple's current By-laws.

(e) He forthwith shall send them to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws. If the committee approves them they are so endorsed, one copy shall be retained by the Committee and 2 copies shall be sent to the Imperial Potentate for his approval. If approved by him, they at once become effective.

(f) Upon approval, the Imperial Potentate shall forward them to the Imperial Recorder, who shall retain one copy for the records of the Imperial Council, and shall forward the other copy to the Temple.

§ 331.3 **Time for filing.** All proposed Temple By-laws and amendments must be in the office of the Imperial Recorder at least 30 days before the session of the Imperial Council.

§ 331.4 **Action by Imperial Council.**

(a) At each session of the Imperial Council the Imperial Recorder must present a list of all new or amended By-laws which have been approved by the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws and approved by the Imperial Potentate during the recess of the Imperial Council.

(b) The Imperial Recorder also must submit a list of any By-laws or amendments rejected by the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws or the Imperial Potentate, giving their reasons for the rejection.

(c) Any Temple dissatisfied with the decision of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws or the Imperial Potentate, in the matter of its By-laws or amendments thereto, has the right to appeal to the Imperial Council, and the decision of that body is final.

§ 331.5 **Change in Imperial Council laws; effect on Temple By-laws.**

(a) When a change is made by the Imperial Council affecting Shrine law, and the change affects the By-laws of any Temple, the By-laws of the Temple are changed, ipso facto to conform with those of the Imperial Council.

(b) It is the duty of every Temple to make this change in its By-laws immediately upon receiving the printed copy of the proceedings of the Imperial Council from the Imperial Recorder.

(c) Thereupon the Recorder of the Temple must send to the Imperial Recorder a properly certified copy showing that the change was made, and must send copies to the Imperial Potentate and to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws for approval and confirmation.

ARTICLE 32

Initiation Fee; Dues; Hospital Levy; Assessments

§ 332.1 Initiation fee.

- (a) The initiation fee shall be not less than \$100.
- (b) A Temple may increase the initiation fee.
- (c) A Temple may provide a higher rate of initiation fee according to the proximity of the candidate's residence to the location of the Temple.
- (d) A candidate may not be initiated until his initiation fee is paid in full.
- (e) No portion of any fee may be rebated or refunded in any manner to the initiated candidate, either in money or material.
- (f) If a candidate does not present himself for initiation, he is entitled to the return of his fee upon his request.

§ 332.2 Dues.

- (a) The annual dues in every Temple shall be not less than \$10, paid in advance before January 1st by all members.
 - (1) Candidates initiated during the year are included.
 - (2) Life members are exempt.
- (b) Candidates initiated and members restored or affiliated in the following periods pay dues in at least these proportions:
 - (1) January 1 to March 31, 100%;
 - (2) April 1 to June 30, 75%;
 - (3) July 1 to September 30, 50%; and
 - (4) October 1 to December 31, 25%.
- (c) A Temple may provide a higher rate of dues according to the proximity of the member's residence to the location of the Temple.
- (d) A Temple, by affirmative vote, may remit dues of a mem-

ber for good cause shown either to the Temple or a committee selected for that purpose.

§ 332.3 Hospital levy.

(a) The annual levy in every Temple for the Hospitals shall be \$5 paid in advance before January 1st by all members, including life members and members reinstated or affiliated. Candidates initiated in the following periods pay the hospital levy in at least these proportions:

- (1) January 1 to March 31, 100%;
- (2) April 1 to June 30, 75%;
- (3) July 1 to September 30, 50%; and
- (4) October 1 to December 31, 25%.

(b) The hospital levy received from members who are initiated, restored or affiliated during the year must be remitted to the Imperial Recorder immediately after it is received by the Temple.

(c) The hospital levy received from the membership must be remitted to the Imperial Recorder by separate check as follows:

- (1) With the annual return, but not later than March 31, 50%;
- (2) Not later than June 1, 35%; and
- (3) Not later than October 1, 15%.

(d) The hospital levy shall be based on the Temple membership at the end of the fiscal year as reported to the Imperial Recorder.

(e) A Temple may take credit for and deduct from its remittance all unpaid hospital levies of the preceding year occasioned by death or suspension.

(f) A Temple is not required to remit to the Imperial Recorder any unpaid hospital levy in the event of subsequent reinstatement of a member suspended for nonpayment of dues.

(g) A Temple must collect all of the unpaid hospital levies before reinstating a member who has been suspended a second time, and remit to the Imperial Recorder.

(h) The hospital levy is a trust fund and every Temple must segregate it in a separate account and remit to the Imperial Recorder as provided in this section.

(i) *Permanent Contributing Membership.* A member may purchase for \$150 a Permanent Contributing Membership in the Hospitals, receive a certificate therefor from the Recorder of his Temple and be exempt from any further hospital levy.

(j) *Voluntary Permanent Subscription.*

(1) The Imperial Council may issue a Voluntary Permanent Subscription certificate to any person or organization for not less than \$60.

(2) A member holding a Voluntary Permanent Subscription certificate in his name, even though issued before he became an active member of a Temple, may convert it to a Permanent Contributing Membership certificate by surrendering his certificate and paying the difference between the amount paid for his Voluntary Permanent Subscription and the cost of a Permanent Contributing Membership. Thereafter he is exempt from any hospital levy.

(k) The Temple Recorder shall enter on his record the exemption from future hospital levy of all members holding a fully paid Permanent Contributing Membership certificate.

(l) The Temple Recorder shall promptly remit all sums received by him for Permanent Contributing Memberships and Voluntary Permanent Subscriptions to the Imperial Recorder for deposit to the account of the Hospitals.

§ 332.4 Life membership in Temples.

(a) A Temple may create life members as provided in § 323.13.

(b) A Temple may not issue a life membership certificate for a sum less than 15 times the Temple's annual dues.

(c) A Temple may not issue a life membership certificate to a member for having paid dues for a term of less than 35 consecutive years.

(d) In order to retain life membership in a Temple, a Noble must meet the requirements of § 323.3 (a).

§ 332.5 Assessment.

(a) A Temple may levy an assessment on its members, including life members if specifically provided, for purposes general to the membership by resolution adopted at a stated meeting of the Temple, if it is approved by 2/3rds of the members present and voting and in the following manner:

(1) One week's notice in writing must be given, stating the amount of the proposed assessment and the time and place when action will be taken.

(2) Upon the adoption of the resolution there must be sent to the Imperial Recorder (i) 3 copies thereof together with a certificate of its adoption signed by the Potentate, attested by the Recorder with the seal of the Temple affixed, (ii) a copy of the notice, and (iii) a copy of the Temple's By-laws.

(3) The Imperial Recorder must send them forthwith to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws. If the Committee approves the resolution it is so endorsed, one copy is retained by the Committee and 2 copies are sent to the Imperial Potentate for his approval. Upon approval the Imperial Potentate shall forward them to the Imperial Recorder who shall retain one copy for the records of the Imperial Council and forward the other copy to the Temple.

(b) Upon approval, the assessment is binding on all Temple members as of the date of passage of the Temple resolution levying the assessment and must be paid as dues are paid or as provided in the resolution.

§ 332.6 **Cards not to be issued.** A Temple may not issue a card to a member if his annual dues, hospital levy, assessments, or any voluntary obligation, or any part thereof, are unpaid for the current year unless he is exempt from the payment thereof.

ARTICLE 33

Remittances to Imperial Council

§ 333.1 **Failure to make remittances.** Any Temple neglecting or refusing to make the required remittances to the Imperial Recorder, shall be notified thereof, and if it fails to comply within the time specified by the Imperial Potentate he shall arrest its charter and suspend its work.

ARTICLE 34

Temple Business Affairs and Fiscal Regulations

§ 334.1 **Fiscal year.** Each Temple must arrange its books of account, annual report and audit to conform to the calendar year.

§ 334.2 **Bonds.** Every Temple, at its expense, must procure a

corporate surety bond indemnifying it against loss resulting from infidelity, defalcation or misappropriation by its officers, employees or Nobles, of its funds, assets or property.

§ 334.3 **Death benefit funds.** An independent association of Shriners formed solely for the purpose of providing relief or benefit funds for the widows or families of deceased members shall not be under the control of the Potentate or Temple in whose jurisdiction it is organized or elsewhere.

§ 334.4 **Budget.**

(a) Every Temple is required to adopt an annual budget which must be prepared in accordance with the Uniform Chart of Accounts prescribed by the Imperial Council.

(b) The budget must be adopted at the annual meeting or at a meeting called for that purpose or at a stated meeting held no earlier than December 1 preceding nor later than March 1 following the annual meeting.

(c) Procedure for presenting budget:

(1) The Chief Rabban shall be responsible for the preparation of the proposed budget unless the Temple By-laws provide otherwise.

(2) The complete budget must be available to all members for inspection at the meeting before it is adopted.

(d) The adoption of the budget constitutes the appropriation of funds for the purposes indicated in the budget.

(e) The budget may be amended at any meeting of the Temple.

(f) At each meeting the Treasurer or other fiscal officer must give a summary or such details as may be requested, of expenditures relating them to the budget.

(g) A copy of the budget must be filed with the Imperial Recorder within 30 days after its adoption.

§ 334.5 **Audit.** Every Temple is required to have its accounts audited at the close of each year by an auditor or committee selected by the Temple. A copy of the audit report must be filed with the Imperial Recorder before March 1 following the end of the year audited.

§ 334.6 **Fiscal reports available at annual or budget meeting.**

The Temple officers must make available to the members at the annual or budget meeting the following documents:

- (a) A copy of the audit of the Temple accounts;
- (b) An operating statement for the previous year showing in parallel columns the budget items and the actual expenditures related thereto;
- (c) A balance sheet showing the financial condition of the Temple at the end of the previous year.

§ 334.7 Construction program; secured or long term obligations.

(a) Any Temple contemplating any program involving a secured or long term obligation for a building or addition for the use of the members or any other collateral purpose either through the fraternal organization or through an affiliate, appendant or subsidiary agency must first submit to the Imperial Potentate for his examination and approval the proposed program on the form prescribed by the Imperial Council. A long term obligation is one in which the principal or any part of it is payable more than one year from the date on which it was contracted.

(b) Any Temple proposing any additions or expansion of the program proposed under (a) must submit a supplementary report to the Imperial Potentate for approval.

§ 334.8 Incorporation of Temples or affiliates.

(a) Any Temple now incorporated pursuant to a state statute which authorizes the formation of a fraternal corporation, not for profit, deriving its rights and powers from a Grand or Imperial body, may continue its corporate existence so long as its charter or By-laws contain provisions that the corporation (1) yields obedience to Shrine law; (2) exists solely as a nonprofit corporation having no purpose other than that of acquiring, owning, selling or otherwise disposing of, and mortgaging real estate, and the erection, maintenance and operation of buildings thereon, for its own use; and (3) no part of its assets or funds shall inure to the benefit of individuals personally except in payment for services actually rendered or performed.

(b) New corporations organized by Temples are prohibited unless:

- (1) An application is presented to the Imperial Potentate stating the reasons why a corporation is necessary.

(2) A draft of the proposed Articles of Incorporation or Association is attached to the application.

(3) The Articles of Incorporation or Association include provisions that (i) No part of the assets or funds may inure to the benefit of individuals personally except in payment for services actually rendered or performed; (ii) the proposed corporation will be subject to control by the Temple at all times; and (iii) in the event of dissolution the assets and funds remaining after the payment of all debts of the corporation shall be conveyed to the Temple, or the Hospitals.

(4) The Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, the Imperial Potentate and the General Counsel approve the application.

(c) A corporation organized by a Temple is required to maintain its records in accordance with the Uniform Chart of Accounts prescribed by the Imperial Council.

(d) The corporation is required to file annually with the Imperial Recorder an operating statement for the previous year showing all income and expenditures and a balance sheet showing the financial condition of the corporation at the end of the previous year.

§ 334.9 **Corporate document filed with Imperial Recorder.** Copies of the Articles of Incorporation or Association and the By-laws of every Temple corporation and affiliated or appendant corporation must be filed with the Imperial Recorder.

ARTICLE 35

Prohibited Practices

§ 335.1 **Unlawful activities.** It is unlawful for any Temple, unit, or club under its control or any group of its members, or any member acting for or on behalf of the Temple, to promote or take part in any engagement or enterprise prohibited by the law of the land.

§ 335.2 **Improper advertising.**

(a) The use of the word "Noble," "Shriner," or any variation thereof, or any term, sign or symbol of the Order, for commercial or other business enterprises is prohibited.

(b) This section does not apply to those who are regularly engaged in dealing in standard Shrine supplies, uniforms, regalia and emblems.

§ 335.3 Use of name "Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children." The use of the name "Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children" or reference to the Hospitals in connection with any fund raising activity by a Temple or Noble without the written consent of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Hospitals is prohibited.

§ 335.4 Hospital operation.

(a) A Temple or Noble may not solicit funds or accept real estate, money, securities or other property for purposes connected with the building, launching, maintenance, or operation of hospitals for crippled children or similar projects without first obtaining permission from the Imperial Potentate.

(b) This section does not apply to existing projects supported and operated by subordinate Temples on January 1, 1948.

§ 335.5 Initiation ceremonies.

(a) All immoral and vulgar practices or allusions in the initiation of candidates or in the printed notices issued by a Temple are prohibited.

(b) The Potentate or any officer presiding at the time shall be personally responsible for failure immediately to arrest any act of vulgarity or obscenity.

§ 335.6 Furnishing list of names.

(a) A Temple or Noble must not furnish a list of the names of the members of the Temple to anyone to be used to circularize or solicit the members for business purposes.

(b) A Temple may furnish to any national Shrine magazine a list of the members of the Temple for the sole purpose of soliciting subscriptions.

§ 335.7 Appeals for aid. A Temple may not appeal to Nobles not members of that Temple for aid unless the appeal bears the endorsement of the Imperial Potentate.

§ 335.8 Paid advertisements.

(a) A Temple may not issue with or as a part of any official notice any announcement or paid business advertisement.

(b) A Temple which issues at regular intervals an official publication containing paid advertisements, may issue its official notices in that publication.

§ 335.9 Division of fees. A Temple may not set aside any part of the fees collected for initiation or affiliation or annual dues or assessments for the exclusive use of any unit or any subordinate club or organization in the Temple.**§ 335.10 Female organizations.**

(a) A Temple may not organize, sponsor, or officially recognize in any way a female unit or any uniformed body of women.

(b) A Temple may not organize, sponsor or officially recognize in any way any body of women, or men and women, purporting to be an organization connected with the Order composed of Nobles and female relatives or requiring such relationship as the pre-requisite for membership in the organization.

§ 335.11 Female impersonation. All females and impersonators of females are prohibited from participation in any public function of the Order. Appropriate participation by females is permitted in public functions exclusively devoted to the Hospitals.**§ 335.12 Deviation from ritual.** A Temple may not deviate from the ritual as promulgated by the Imperial Council.**§ 335.13 Public condemnation.** The appearance in public of candidates or Nobles in costume or attire, or publicly engaging in activities, which bring reproach upon the Order is prohibited.**§ 335.14 General regulations.** A Temple or Noble may not violate Shrine law.**ARTICLE 36*****Temple Units*****§ 336.1 Control by Potentate.** The units are a part of the working corps of the Temple and are under the control of the Potentate and must be composed wholly of Nobles.

§ 336.2 Public exhibitions.

(a) In parades of Temples at annual sessions of the Imperial Council or in parades under the auspices of Temples or Shrine Associations, only Nobles shall participate.

(b) No Temple unit is permitted to participate in a parade or public exhibition without the express approval of the Potentate.

(c) Public appearances by units are under the auspices of the Temple with which they are identified and are not permitted in any place outside the Temple's jurisdiction except with the consent of the Potentate of the Temple having jurisdiction.

(d) Units and their members are prohibited from accepting any reward or compensation for participating in parades and exhibitions.

ARTICLE 37***Shrine Clubs***

§ 337.1 Use of emblem. An organization of Nobles meeting as such, using any of the emblems of the Order or having a title indicating it to be an organization of Nobles may not be organized without the official authorization of a Potentate of a Temple.

§ 337.2 Jurisdiction over members. All Nobles who are members of a Shrine club are amenable to the By-laws and regulations of the authorizing Temple, whether they are members of that Temple or another Temple.

§ 337.3 Control. The Shrine club is under the control of the Potentate of the authorizing Temple and he must approve any By-laws or amendments thereto adopted by the club before they can become effective.

§ 337.4 Exclusive jurisdiction territory. A Shrine club is under the control of the Temple having exclusive jurisdiction over the territory in which the Shrine club is located.

§ 337.5 Concurrent jurisdiction territory.

(a) If it is proposed to form a Shrine club in territory over which 2 or more Temples have concurrent jurisdiction, consent

must be obtained from the 2 Temples nearest to the proposed location in the concurrent jurisdiction.

(b) The club is under the control of the nearest of these 2 Temples.

(c) Where a change is made in jurisdictional lines so that 2 or more Temples have concurrent jurisdiction, jurisdiction over any existing Shrine club remains in the Temple under whose authority the club was created, unless otherwise agreed by the Temples involved.

§ 337.6 **Incorporation of Shrine club holding company.** The incorporation of a Shrine club is prohibited. A Shrine club holding company may be organized if considered necessary by compliance with the following procedure:

(a) A written application must be presented to the Potentate of the Temple having jurisdiction of the Shrine club, stating the reason such incorporation is necessary.

b) A draft of the proposed Articles of Incorporation or Association must be attached to the application.

(c) The Articles of Incorporation or Association must include the following provisions:

(1) It must be a non-profit corporation or association and for the sole purpose of holding title to real or personal property other than cash and securities owned by the club.

(2) The trustees and managing officers of the corporation or association shall be members in good standing in the club and remain subject to the By-laws of the authorizing Temple and the control of the Potentate.

(3) The Potentate shall have power to remove from office in the corporation or association any trustee or managing officer for disobedience of his orders or for any violation of Temple By-laws with respect to the conduct of the affairs of the corporation or association.

(4) In the event of dissolution, the assets and funds remaining after payment in full of all debts of the corporation or association shall be conveyed to the Hospitals. No part of the assets or funds may inure to the benefit of any member of the corporation or association, nor revert to any officer or trustee thereof.

(d) The Potentate shall approve or reject the application.

(e) If the Potentate approves the application, the proposed Articles of Incorporation or Association, and a certificate of the Potentate's approval shall be sent to the Imperial Recorder.

(f) If the Chairman of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws, the Imperial Potentate and the General Counsel approve the application, the corporation or association may be organized.

ARTICLE 38

Complaints to Imperial Council

§ 338.1 Procedure.

(a) Complaints or correspondence to the Imperial Potentate from individual Nobles on Imperial Council or Temple matters must be addressed in the first instance to the Potentate of the Temple of which the complaining Noble is a member, and through him to the Imperial Potentate.

(b) If the Potentate of the Temple refuses or neglects to forward a communication, the complainant may transmit it directly to the Imperial Potentate.

(c) A Representative may communicate directly with the Imperial Potentate.

ARTICLE 39

Visitors to Temples

§ 339.1 Admission. A Noble may not be admitted to his own or any other Temple, unless he exhibits to the Temple to which he desires admittance an official Shrine card for the then current year.

§ 339.2 Admission for special purpose. Section 339.1 does not apply to a Noble who enters a Temple under § 323.11 (c) (3).

ARTICLE 40

Temple Headquarters at Imperial Council Session

§ 340.1 Purpose and limitation. Temples may maintain headquarters during the annual session of the Imperial Council, for the purpose of dispensing Shrine hospitality and the promotion of good fellowship. The use of Temple badges as gifts, or for

exchange purposes, is permitted. The indiscriminate distribution, in large quantities, of all kinds of souvenirs, to every one who calls at Temple headquarters, is prohibited. All courtesies shown in Temple headquarters should be limited to Nobles and ladies accompanying them.

§ 340.2 **Souvenirs.** Souvenirs or gifts of any kind may not be distributed to Representatives while the Imperial Council is meeting in session.

§ 340.3 **Responsibility.** Each Potentate and each Representative should see that abuse of any kind is not permitted in Temple headquarters that tends to discredit the Shrine or its avowed principles and objects.

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PART IV**TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF TEMPLES****ARTICLE 45*****Temples in Alabama*****§ 445.1 Abba Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties, namely: Sumter, Greene, Hale, Perry, Marengo, Choctaw, Clarke, Wilcox, Monroe, Conecuh, Escambia, Baldwin, Washington, and Mobile, in the State of Alabama.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Alcazar Temple in the County of Dallas in the State of Alabama.

§ 445.2 Alcazar Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties, namely: Cleburne, Randolph, Clay; all that part of Shelby County which lies south of a line commencing at the point where the Mineral Branch of the L. & N. Railroad intersects the east boundary of Shelby County; thence westwardly along the line of said railroad to Calera, and then due west to the west boundary of Shelby County, excluding Calera; all that part of Talladega County which lies South of the Mineral Branch of the L. & N. Railroad, commencing where the L. & N. intersects the west line of Talladega County and continuing in an easterly course along the line of said railroad until it reaches Sylacauga; thence in a due easterly course to the east line of Talladega County; Bibb, Chilton, Coosa, Tallapoosa, Chambers, Kee, Macon, Elmore, Autauga, Lowndes, Butler, Covington, Crenshaw, Coffee, Geneva, Pike, Bullock, Barbour, Dale, Henry, Houston, Russell, and Montgomery.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Abba Temple in the County of Dallas.

§ 445.3 Zamora Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties, namely: Lauderdale, Limestone, Madison, Jackson, DeKalb, Marshall, Morgan, Lawrence, Colbert, Franklin, Marion, Winston, Cullman, Blount, Etowah, Cherokee, Calhoun, St. Clair, Walker,

Fayette, Lamar, Pickens, Tuscaloosa, and all that part of Shelby County which lies north of a line commencing at the point where the Mineral Branch of the L. & N. Railway intersects the east boundary of Shelby County; thence westwardly along the line of said railroad to Calera, and thence due west to the west boundary of Shelby County, including Calera; all that part of Talladega County lying north of the Mineral Branch of the L. & N. Railroad, commencing where said railroad intercepts the west line of Talladega County; thence in an easterly course along the line of that railroad until it reaches Sylacauga; thence in a due easterly course to the east line of Talladega County, excepting the town of Sylacauga, which is to be in the jurisdiction of Alcazar Temple; and Jefferson County.

(Agreement between Zamora and Alhambra Temples as to Concurrent jurisdiction in Certain Counties, 1949. No amendment to this Article.)

ARTICLE 46

Alaska

§ 446.1 Alaska

Is under the Jurisdiction of Nile Temple, § 492.3.

ARTICLE 47

Temples in Arizona

§ 447.1 El Zaribah Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the State of Arizona.

Article 48

Temples in Arkansas

§ 448.1 Sahara Temple

Has jurisdiction over the following named counties in Arkansas, viz: Clay, Craighead, Greene, Mississippi, Poinsett, Cross, Crittenden, St. Francis, Monroe, Lee, Prairie, Garland, Grant, Jefferson, Arkansas, Phillips, Dallas, Cleveland, Lincoln, Desha, Ouachita, Calhoun, Bradley, Drew, Chicot, Ashley, Miller, Baxter, Van Buren, Fulton, Newton, Madison, Marion and Izard, the remainder of the State to be the exclusive jurisdiction of Scimitar Temple.

§ 448.2 Scimitar Temple

Has jurisdiction over all counties in Arkansas except the following, viz: Clay, Greene, Craighead, Mississippi, Poinsett, Cross, Crittenden, St. Francis, Monroe, Lee, Prairie, Garland, Grant, Jefferson, Arkansas, Phillips, Dallas, Cleveland, Lincoln, Desha, Ouachita, Calhoun, Bradley, Drew, Chicot, Ashley, Miller, Baxter, Van Buren, Fulton, Newton, Madison, Marion and Izard Counties.

ARTICLE 49***Temples in California*****§ 449.1 Aahmes Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction in Alameda, Contra Costa, Napa, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, Del Norte, Humboldt, Mendocino, Lake and Sonoma Counties.

§ 449.2 Al Bahr Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the counties of San Diego and Imperial.

§ 449.3 Al Malaikah Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over all that part of California south of the northern boundary line of San Luis Obispo, Kern and San Bernardino Counties, with the exception of San Diego County and Imperial County and the City of Long Beach, including the City of Signal Hill and that part of Los Angeles County lying south of a line drawn due east from the northernmost line of the City of Long Beach to the Orange County line.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Bekal Temple in the Counties of Orange and Riverside.

§ 449.4 Ben Ali Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in Sacramento, San Joaquin, Butte, Yolo, Lassen, Yuba, Sutter, Alpine, Placer, Siskiyou, Glenn, Tehama, Solano, Nevada, Colusa, El Dorado, Shasta, Trinity, Calaveras, Modoc, Sierra, Plumas and Amador Counties.

§ 449.5 El Bekal Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the City of Long Beach, including the City of Signal Hill, and that part of Los Angeles County

lying south of a line drawn due east from the northernmost line of the City of Long Beach to the Orange County line.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Al Malaikah Temple only in the Counties of Orange and Riverside, all situated in the State of California.

§ 449.6 Islam Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in San Francisco, San Mateo, Marin, Santa Clara, Inyo, Mono, Monterey, Santa Cruz and San Benito Counties.

§ 449.7 Tehran Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in Merced, Mariposa, Madera, Fresno, Tulare and King Counties.

ARTICLE 50

Temples in Colorado

§ 450.1 Al Kaly and El Jebel Temples

The 39th degree of latitude is the dividing boundary line, dividing the territory and jurisdiction of the 2 Temples in Colorado; the territory and jurisdiction of El Jebel Temple comprising all of the State of Colorado north of said line; the territory and jurisdiction of Al Kaly Temple comprising all of the State of Colorado south of said line; provided, however, that each of the Temples mentioned shall have concurrent jurisdiction in Moffat, Routt, Rio Blanco, Garfield, Eagle, Mesa, Pitkin, Lake, Delta, Montrose, Gunnison, San Miguel, Ouray, Dolores, San Juan, Hinsdale, Montezuma and La Plata Counties.

ARTICLE 51

Temples in Connecticut

§ 451.1 Pyramid Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in all of Fairfield County; in the following townships in Litchfield County, namely, Salisbury, North Canaan, Norfolk, Sharon, Cornwall, Kent, Warren, New Milford, Washington and Bridgewater; in the following townships in New Haven County, namely, Bethany, Seymour, Derby, Ansonia, Woodbridge, Hamden, North Haven, New Haven, West Haven, East Haven, Orange, Milford, North Branford, Branford, Guilford, and Madison.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Sphinx Temple in the following townships in New Haven County, namely, Wolcott, Waterbury, Middlebury, Prospect, Naugatuck, Beacon Falls, Oxford, Southbury, Cheshire, Meriden and Wallingford; and in the following townships in Middlesex County, namely, Chester, Killingworth, Clinton, Deep River, Essex, Westbrook, and Old Saybrook.

§ 451.2 Sphinx Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in all of Hartford County, Tolland County, Windham County and New London County, and the following townships in Litchfield County, namely, Colebrook, Winchester, Barkhamsted, Goshen, Torrington, New Hartford, Litchfield, Harwinton, Morris, Bethlehem, Watertown, Thomas-ton, Plymouth, Roxbury and Woodbury; and in the following townships in Middlesex County, namely, Cromwell, Portland, East Hampton, Middlefield, Middletown, Durham, Haddam and East Haddam.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Pyramid Temple in the following townships in New Haven County, namely, Wolcott, Waterbury, Middlebury, Prospect, Naugatuck, Beacon Falls, Oxford, Southbury, Cheshire, Meriden and Wallingford; and in the following townships in Middlesex County, namely, Chester, Killingworth, Clinton, Deep River, Essex, Westbrook, and Old Saybrook.

ARTICLE 52

Temples in Delaware

§ 452.1 Nur Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the entire State of Delaware.

ARTICLE 53

Temples in District of Columbia

§ 453.1 Almas Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the District of Columbia.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Boumi Temple over Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties in the States of Maryland.

ARTICLE 54***Temples in Florida*****§ 454.1 Bahia Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the counties of Brevard, Lake, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Sumter and Volusia.

§ 454.2 Egypt Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the counties of Hillsboro, Citrus, Hernando, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Manatee, De Soto, Lee, Sarasota, Hardee, Highlands, Charlotte, Glades, Hendry and Collier.

§ 454.3 Mahi Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the counties of Dade, St. Lucie, Indian River, Martin, Palm Beach, Broward and Monroe.

§ 454.4 Morocco Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the County of Duval and the remainder of the State except the Counties of Indian River, Martin, Dade, St. Lucie, Palm Beach, Broward, Monroe, Hillsboro, Citrus, Hernando, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Manatee, Sarasota, De Soto, Hardee, Highlands, Charlotte, Glades, Lee, Hendry, Collier, Brevard, Lake, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Sumter and Volusia.

ARTICLE 55***Temples in Georgia*****§ 455.1 Alee Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Appling, Bacon, Brantley, Bryan, Bulloch, Burke, Camden, Candler, Charlton, Chatham, Columbia, Effingham, Emmanuel, Evans, Glasscock, Glynn, Jeff Davis, Jefferson, Jenkins, Liberty, Long, McDuffee, McIntosh, Montgomery, Pierce, Richmond, Screven, Tattnall, Toombs, Treutlen, Warren and Wayne.

§ 455.2 Al Sihah Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Bibb, Baldwin, Bleckley, Butts, Crawford, Chatahooche, Crisp, Dodge, Dooly, Greene, Hancock, Harris, Houston, Johnson, Jasper, Jones, Laurens, Lamar, Macon, Marion, Meriwether, Monroe, Muscogee, Peach, Pike, Pulaski, Putnam, Schley, Stewart, Sumter, Talbot,

Taliaferro, Taylor, Telfair, Twiggs, Upson, Washington, Webster, Wheeler, Wilkinson, Wilcox.

§ 455.3 **Hasan Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Atkinson, Baker, Ben Hill, Berrien, Brooks, Calhoun, Clay, Clinch, Coffee, Colquitt, Cook, Decatur, Dougherty, Early, Echols, Grady, Irwin, Lanier, Lee, Lowndes, Miller, Mitchell, Quitman, Randolph, Seminole, Terrell, Thomas, Tift, Turner, Ware and Worth.

§ 455.4 **Yaarab Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Bartow, Banks, Barrow, Clark, Cherokee, Clayton, Cobb, Coweta, Carroll, Chat-toga, Douglas, DeKalb, Dawson, Elbert, Fannin, Floyd, Forsyth, Franklin, Fulton, Fayette, Gilmer, Gwinnett, Gordon, Hall, Hart, Haralson, Henry, Heard, Habersham, Jackson, Lincoln, Lump-kin, Murray, Madison, Morgan, Newton, Oconee, Oglethorpe, Paulding, Polk, Pickens, Rockdale, Rabun, Stephens, Spaulding, Troup, Towns, Union, White, Whitefield, Walton and Wilkes.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Alhambra Temple at Chat-tanooga, Tennessee, in the Counties of Catoosa, Dade and Walker, in conformity with that certain agreement made and entered into between Yaarab Temple and Alhambra Temple.

ARTICLE 56

Temples in Hawaii

§ 456.1 **Aloha Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the State of Hawaii and all of those islands as shown on the U. S. Hydrographic Charts, as the Bonins, the Marianas, the Carolines and the Marshalls, and in-cluding such islands west of the longitude of Wake Island, and north of Kwajalein and south of the latitude of the northern extremity on the Bonins, and east of longitude of Truk (that group inclusive) and shall include Okinawa, Shima and similar islands contiguous to the area above described.

ARTICLE 57

Temples in Idaho

§ 457.1 **Calam Temple**

Has jurisdiction over that part of the State of Idaho north of the 45th parallel of latitude.

§ 457.2 El Korah Temple

Has jurisdiction over that part of the State of Idaho south of the 45th parallel of latitude.

ARTICLE 58***Temples in Illinois*****§ 458.1 Ainad Temple**

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Saint Clair County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State with Medinah, Ansar, Mohammed and Tebala Temples.

§ 458.2 Ansar Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Sangamon County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State with Ainad, Medinah, Mohammed, and Tebala Temples.

§ 458.3 Medinah Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Cook County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State with Mohammed, Ansar, Tebala, and Ainad Temples.

§ 458.4 Mohammed Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Peoria County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State with Medinah, Ansar, Tebala, and Ainad Temples.

§ 458.5 Tebala Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Winnebago County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State with Medinah, Ansar, Mohammed and Ainad Temples.

ARTICLE 59***Temples in Indiana*****§ 459.1 Hadi Temple**

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the City of Evansville and Vanderburgh County, Indiana.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Mizpah, Murat, Orak and Zorah Temples throughout the State of Indiana except in cities and counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

§ 459.2 Mizpah Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the City of Fort Wayne and Allen County, Indiana.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Hadi, Murat, Orak and Zorah Temples throughout the State of Indiana except in cities and counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

§ 459.3 Murat Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the City of Indianapolis and Marion County, Indiana.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Hadi, Mizpah, Orak and Zorah Temples throughout the State of Indiana except in cities and counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

§ 459.4 Orak Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the City of Hammond and Lake County, Indiana.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Hadi, Mizpah, Murat and Zorah Temples throughout the State of Indiana except in cities and counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

§ 459.5 Zorah Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the City of Terre Haute and Vigo County, Indiana.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Hadi, Mizpah, Murat and Orak Temples throughout the State of Indiana except in cities and counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

ARTICLE 60***Temples in Iowa*****§ 460.1 Abu Bekr Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Iowa over Osceola, Dickinson, Emmet, Kossuth, Sioux, O'Brien, Clay, Palo Alto, Plymouth, Cherokee, Buena Vista, Pocahontas, Humboldt, Woodbury, Ida, Sac, Monona, Crawford, Harrison, Shelby, and Pottawattamie Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Riad, Naja and Yelduz Temples in Lyon County, Iowa, and in Union and Clay Counties of South Dakota, subject to an agreement dated October 21, 1957, ratified by El Riad, Yelduz and Naja Temples of South Dakota and Abu Bekr Temple of Iowa.

§ 460.2 El Kahir Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Iowa over Winnebago, Worth, Mitchell, Howard, Winneshiek, Allamakee, Hancock, Cerro Gordo, Floyd, Chickasaw, Wright, Franklin, Butler, Bremer, Fayette, Clayton, Hardin, Grundy, Black Hawk, Buchanan, Delaware, Tama, Benton, Linn and Jones Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Kaaba Temple over Johnson, Dubuque and Iowa Counties.

§ 460.3 Kaaba Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Iowa over Jackson, Cedar, Clinton, Scott, Muscatine, Mahaska, Keokuk, Washington, Louisa, Monroe, Wapello, Jefferson, Henry, Des Moines, Wayne, Appanoose, Davis, Van Buren, Poweshiek and Lee Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Kahir Temple over Johnson, Dubuque and Iowa Counties.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Za-Ga-Zig Temple over Lucas County.

§ 460.4 Za-Ga-Zig Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Iowa over Calhoun, Webster, Hamilton, Carroll, Greene, Boone, Story, Marshall, Audubon,

Guthrie, Dallas, Polk, Jasper, Mills, Montgomery, Adams, Union, Clark, Cass, Adair, Madison, Warren, Marion, Fremont, Page, Taylor, Ringgold and Decatur Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Kaaba Temple over Lucas County.

ARTICLE 61

Temples in Kansas

§ 461.1 Abdallah Temple

Has jurisdiction over Brown, Doniphan, Atchison, Jefferson, Leavenworth, Wyandotte, Douglas, Johnson, Franklin and Miami Counties.

§ 461.2 Arab Temple

Has jurisdiction over Marshall, Nehama, Pottawattomie, Jackson, Wabaunsee, Shawnee, Osage, Lyon and Coffey Counties.

§ 461.3 Isis Temple

Has jurisdiction over Cheyenne, Rawlins, Decatur, Norton, Phillips, Smith, Jewell, Republic, Washington, Sherman, Thomas, Sheridan, Graham, Rooks, Osborne, Mitchell, Cloud, Wallace, Logan, Gove, Trego, Ellis, Russell, Lincoln, Ottawa, Clay, Riley, Geary, Greeley, Wichita, Scott, Lane, Ness, Rush, Barton, Ellsworth, Saline, Dickinson, Rice, McPherson, Marion, Chase and Morris Counties.

§ 461.4 Midian Temple

Has jurisdiction over Chautauqua, Elk, Greenwood, Cowley, Butler, Sedgwick, Sumner, Kingman, Harper, Pratt, Barber, Hodgman, Ford, Kiowa, Commanche, Clark, Meade, Seward, Haskell, Stevens, Grant, Morton, Stanton, Edwards, Kearny, Hamilton, Finney, Harvey, Reno, Stafford, Pawnee and Gray Counties.

§ 461.5 Mirza Temple

Has jurisdiction over Woodson, Allen, Bourbon, Wilson, Neosho, Crawford, Montgomery, Labette, Cherokee, Anderson and Linn Counties.

ARTICLE 62

Temples in Kentucky

§ 462.1 El Hasa Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Boyd County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over the State of Kentucky with Kosair, Oleika and Rizpah Temples, except in Counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Syrian Temple in Kenton, Campbell, and Boone Counties, Kentucky.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction with Syrian, Antioch, Aladdin, and Zenobia Temples in Lawrence and Scioto Counties, Ohio.

§ 462.2 Kosair Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Jefferson County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State of Kentucky with El Hasa, Oleika, and Rizpah Temples, except in Counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Syrian Temple in Kenton, Campbell and Boone Counties, Kentucky.

§ 462.3 Oleika Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Fayette County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over the State of Kentucky with Kosair, El Hasa, and Rizpah Temples, except in Counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Syrian Temple in Kenton, Campbell, and Boone Counties, Kentucky.

§ 462.4 Rizpah Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Hopkins County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over the State of Kentucky with El Hasa, Kosair and Oleika Temples, except in Counties in the exclusive jurisdiction of other Temples in the State.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Syrian Temple in Kenton, Campbell, and Boone Counties, Kentucky.

ARTICLE 63

Temples in Louisiana

§ 463.1 El Karubah Temple

Has concurrent jurisdiction in Louisiana with the exception

of the Parishes of Orleans, Jefferson, St. Bernard, and Plaquemine, the location of Metropolitan New Orleans where Jerusalem Temple is located.

§ 463.2 Jerusalem Temple

Has concurrent jurisdiction over the State of Louisiana, with the exception of the Parish in which El Karubah Temple is located.

ARTICLE 64

Temples in Maine

§ 464.1 Anah Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Aroostook, Hancock, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Waldo and Washington Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over Somerset and Knox Counties and the city of Waterville and the towns of Oakland, Belgrade, Sidney, Winslow, China, Vassalboro, Benton, Clinton, Albion and South Albion in the County of Kennebec.

§ 464.2 Kora Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Androscoggin, Cumberland, Franklin, Lincoln, Oxford, Sagadahoc and York Counties, and that portion of Kennebec County not named in (b) below.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over Somerset and Knox Counties, and the city of Waterville and the towns of Oakland, Belgrade, Sidney, Winslow, China, Vassalboro, Benton, Clinton, Albion and South Albion in the County of Kennebec.

ARTICLE 65

Temples in Maryland

§ 465.1 Ali Ghan Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Allegany, Garrett and Washington Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Boumi Temple over Frederick County.

§ 465.2 Boumi Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the State of Maryland, except Allegany, Frederick, Garrett, Montgomery, Prince Georges and Washington Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Ali Ghan Temple over Frederick County.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Almas Temple over Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties.

ARTICLE 66***Temples in Massachusetts*****§ 466.1 Aleppo Temple**

Has:

(a) Jurisdiction over all the counties in Massachusetts with the exception of Hampden, Franklin, Berkshire and Hampshire.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Melha Temple over the towns of Athol, Ashburnham, Westminster, Princeton, Royalston, Winchendon, Gardner, Templeton, Petersham, Hubbardstown, Rutland, Barre, Dana, Hardwick, New Baintree, Clarkham, Paxton, Leicester, Spencer, West Brookfield, North Brookfield, Warren, Brookfield, Sturbridge, Southbridge, Charlton and Dudley, and the city of Worcester in Worcester County, Massachusetts.

§ 466.2 Melha Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the Counties of Hampden, Hampshire, Berkshire and Franklin.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over the towns of Athol, Ashburnham, Westminster, Princeton, Royalston, Winchendon, Gardner, Templeton, Petersham, Hubbardstown, Rutland, Barre, Dana, Hardwick, New Baintree, Clarkham, Paxton, Leicester, Spencer, West Brookfield, North Brookfield, Warren, Brookfield, Sturbridge, Southbridge, Charlton and Dudley, and the city of Worcester in Worcester County, Massachusetts.

ARTICLE 67***Temples in Michigan*****§ 467.1 Ahmed Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction over all the counties of the upper peninsula of Michigan.

§ 467.2 Elf Khurafeh Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the following counties, to-wit: Cheboygan, Montmorenci, Oscoda, Ogemaw, Gladwin, Midland, Saginaw, Sanilac, Lapeer, Presque Isle, Alpena, Alcona, Iosco, Arenac, Bay, Tuscola, Shiawassee, Ingham, Otsego, Crawford, Roscommon, Clare, Isabella, Gratio, Huron, Genesee.

§ 467.3 Moslem Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the following counties, to-wit: Branch, Lenawee, Monroe, Washtenaw, Hillsdale, Livingston, Oakland, Wayne, Jackson, Macomb and St. Clair.

§ 467.4 Saladin Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over Berrien, Cass, St. Joseph, Van Buren, Kalamazoo, Calhoun, Allegan, Barry, Eaton, Ottawa, Kent, Ionia, Clinton, Muskegon, Oceana, Newaygo, Mecosta, Montcalm, Mason, Lake, Osceola, Manistee, Wexford, Missaukee, Benzie, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Antrim, Charlevoix, and Emmett Counties.

ARTICLE 68***Temples in Minnesota*****§ 468.1 Aad Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction as to Minnesota Temples over the Counties of St. Louis, Lake, Cook, Carlton, Pine, Koochiching, Itaska, Aitkin, Kanabec, Crow Wing, Cass, Hubbard, Beltrami, Lake of the Woods, Rosseau, Clearwater, Becker, Clay, Norman, Mahnomen, Polk, Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall and Kittson.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in the Counties of Douglas, Bayfield, and Ashland, in the State of Wisconsin, with Tripoli and Zor Temples, as agreed between Tripoli, Aad and Zor Temples.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction in Becker, Clay, Mahnomen and Norman Counties in the State of Minnesota with El Zagal Temple.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction in Clearwater, Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall, Polk, Kittson and Rosseau Counties, in the State of Minnesota, with Kem Temple.

§ 468.2 Osman Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Ramsey County, and concurrent

jurisdiction with Zuhrah Temple in all other counties of the State, except Hennepin and the Counties named under Aad Temple.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in Rock County in the state of Minnesota, with El Riad Temple.

§ 468.3 Zuhrah Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Hennepin County, and concurrent jurisdiction with Osman Temple in all other counties of the State, except Ramsey and the counties named under Aad Temple.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in Rock County in the State of Minnesota, with El Riad Temple.

ARTICLE 69

Temples in Mississippi

§ 469.1 Hamasa Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the following counties in Mississippi, to-wit: Alcorn, Benton, Calhoun, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Clarke, Clay, Forest, George, Greene, Itawamba, Jasper, Jones, Kemper, Leake, Lee, Lowndes, Lauderdale, Lamar, Monroe, Neshoba, Newton, Noxubee, Oktibbaha, Pearl River, Perry, Pontotoc, Prentiss, East eight townships of Scott, Smith, Stone, Tippah, Tishomingo, Union, Wayne, Webster and Winston.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Wahabi Temple over the following counties in Mississippi, to-wit: Hancock, Harrison and Jackson.

§ 469.2 Wahabi Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the following counties in Mississippi, to-wit: Adams, Amite, Attala,, Bolivar, Carroll, Claiborne, Coahoma, Copiah, Covington, DeSoto, Franklin, Grenada, Hinds, Holmes, Humphries, Issaquena, Jefferson, Jefferson Davis, Lafayette, Lawrence, Leflore, Lincoln, Madison, Marion, Marshall, Montgomery, Panola, Pike, Quitman, Rankin, west eight townships of Scott and fractional townships west thereof, Sharkey, Simpson, Sunflower, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tunica, Walthall, Warren, Washington, Wilkinson, Yalobusha and Yazoo.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Hamasa Temple over the following counties in Mississippi, to-wit: Hancock, Harrison and Jackson.

ARTICLE 70

Temples in Missouri

§ 470.1 Abou Ben Adhem Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in all directions extending $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance by direct line between itself and the nearest Temple in that direction in Missouri.

§ 470.2 Ararat Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in all directions extending $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance by direct line between itself and the nearest Temple in that direction in Missouri.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in the city of Brookfield, with Moila Temple.

§ 470.3 Moila Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in all directions extending $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance by direct line between itself and the nearest Temple in that direction in Missouri.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in the city of Brookfield, with Ararat Temple.

§ 470.4 Moolah Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in all directions extending $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance by direct line between itself and the nearest Temple in that direction in Missouri.

ARTICLE 71

Temples in Montana

§ 471.1 Al Bedoo Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Yellowstone County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Algeria and Bagdad Temples over the State with the exception of Lewis and Clark and Silver Bow Counties.

§ 471.2 Algeria Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Lewis and Clark County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Bagdad and Al Bedoo Temples over the State with the exception of Silver Bow and Yellowstone Counties.

§ 471.3 Bagdad Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Silver Bow County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Algeria and Al Bedoo Temples over the State, with the exception of Lewis and Clark and Yellowstone Counties.

ARTICLE 72***Temples in Nebraska*****§ 472.1 Sesostris Temple**

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Lancaster County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Tangier and Tehama Temples throughout the State of Nebraska, except the counties in which these Temples are located.

§ 472.2 Tangier Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Douglas County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Sesostris and Tehama Temples, except the counties in which they are located, over the balance of the State of Nebraska.

§ 472.3 Tehama Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Adams County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Sesostris and Tangier Temples, except the counties in which they are located, over the balance of the State of Nebraska.

ARTICLE 73***Temples in Nevada*****§ 473.1 Kerak Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the State of Nevada.

ARTICLE 74***Temples in New Hampshire*****§ 474.1 Bektash Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the State of New Hampshire.

ARTICLE 75***Temples in New Jersey*****§ 475.1 Crescent Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over that territory south of a line beginning with Seaside Park and the village of Toms River; thence along the southerly bank of Toms River to the Monmouth County line; thence northwesterly across Monmouth County to the town of Etra in Mercer County; thence along the northerly line of Mercer County to the junction of Somerset, Mercer and Hunterdon Counties, thence due west to the Delaware River; except that Salaam Temple may accept for membership all members of Newark Consistory residing anywhere in the State of New Jersey without securing a waiver from Crescent Temple.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Salaam Temple over that territory between the lines of exclusive jurisdiction and the southern boundary lines of Union County, Morris County and Sussex County.

(c) Crescent Temple may accept for membership all members of Trenton Consistory residing anywhere in the State of New Jersey, without securing waivers from Salaam Temple.

§ 475.2 Salaam Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Morris, Passaic, Sussex and Union, except that Crescent Temple may accept for membership all members of Trenton Consistory residing anywhere in the State of New Jersey, without securing waivers from Salaam Temple.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Crescent Temple between the southern boundary lines of Sussex, Morris and Union Counties, and the exclusive jurisdiction of Crescent Temple.

(c) Salaam Temple may accept for membership all members of Newark Consistory residing anywhere in the State of New Jersey without securing a waiver from Crescent Temple.

ARTICLE 76***Temples in New Mexico*****§ 476.1 Ballut Abyad Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the State of New Mexico.

ARTICLE 77***Temples in New York*****§ 477.1 Cyprus Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance between the location of Temples adjacent, of so much of the territory in the County of Albany as lies within the boundaries of the City of Albany and the towns of Berne, Bethlehem, Coeymans, Guilderland, Knox, New Scotland, Rensselaerville and Westerlo; of so much of the territory in the County of Rensselaer as is included within the boundaries of the City of Rensselaer, and the towns of East Greenbush, Schodak, Nassau and Stephentown; and also of all that territory lying southerly of the southerly boundaries of the Counties of Rensselaer, Albany, Schenectady and Montgomery as, at the time of the last establishment of jurisdictions in New York, was within the jurisdiction of either or both of Cyprus and Oriental Temples.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Oriental Temple in the Counties of Hamilton, Fulton, Montgomery and Schenectady; and also in the Town of Colonie in the County of Albany.

§ 477.2 Damascus Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction bounded as follows: On the southwest in the County of Steuben by a line drawn through the city of Hornell due east to the town of Watkins in Schuyler County; thence northeast through Schuyler, Seneca, Cayuga, Onondaga and Oswego Counties to the town of Phoenix; thence northwest through Oswego County to Oswego on the Lake Ontario line; thence west following the lake shore line to the town of Somerset in Niagara County; thence southeast to the town of Hornell in Steuben County; embracing all of the counties of Monroe, Wayne, Ontario and Yates, and part of the counties of Orleans, Genesee, Wyoming, Livingston, Steuben, Schuyler, Seneca, Cayuga and Oswego.

§ 477.3 Ismailia Temple

Has jurisdiction as laid down by the Imperial Council, viz: one-half of the distance between the locations of Temples adjacent.

§ 477.4 Kalurah Temple

Has:

(a) Jurisdiction in all direction to $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance by a direct line between itself and Ismailia Temple of Buffalo, Damascus Temple of Rochester, Ziyara Temple of Utica, and Cyprus Temple of Albany, and west of a line commencing at Parkers Glen, running northeast through the village of Monticello.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Mecca Temple in the Village of Monticello, and south to the Pennsylvania State line.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Ziyara Temple in the City of Oneonta.

§ 477.5 Kismet Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over all the territory of Long Island, N. Y., consisting of the Counties of Kings, Queens, Nassau and Suffolk.

§ 477.6 Mecca Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over New York City and over all other territory now, or that has been occupied by Kismet and Mecca Temples, concurrently, excepting the territory of Long Island, N. Y.

§ 477.7 Media Temple

Waives jurisdiction to Oriental Temple over the portion of Essex and Clinton Counties in the jurisdiction of Media Temple and that portion of Franklin County lying south of a line drawn east and west through and including Loon Lake, under an agreement between the Temples.

§ 477.8 Oriental Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance between the location of Temples adjacent; all of Essex and Clinton Counties and that portion of Franklin County lying south of a line drawn east and west through and including Loon Lake; that part of the County of Albany as lies within the boundaries of the

Cities of Cohoes and Watervliet and the village of Green Island; that part of the County of Rensselaer as lies within the boundaries of the City of Troy, and the towns of North Greenbush, Sand Lake, Poestenkill, Berlin, Petersburg, Grafton, Brunswick, Schaghticoke, Pittstown and Hoosick and also all of that territory lying northerly of the northern boundaries of the Counties of Rensselaer, Albany and Schenectady as, at the time of the last establishment of jurisdiction in New York, was within the jurisdiction of either or both of Oriental and Cyprus Temples.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Cyprus Temple in the Counties of Schenectady, Montgomery, Fulton and Hamilton; and also in the town of Colonie in the County of Albany.

§ 477.9 Tigris Temple

Has:

- (a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Onondaga County.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction over Madison County with Ziyara Temple.

§ 477.10 Ziyara Temple

Has:

- (a) Jurisdiction in New York as follows: $\frac{1}{2}$ way to Rochester; $\frac{1}{2}$ way to Binghamton; $\frac{1}{2}$ way to Albany and Troy; $\frac{1}{2}$ way to Watertown.
- (b) Concurrent jurisdiction over Madison County with Tigris Temple and concurrent jurisdiction with Kalurah Temple in the City of Oneonta.

ARTICLE 78

Temples in North Carolina

§ 478.1 Oasis Temple

Has:

- (a) Concurrent jurisdiction with Sudan Temple over the counties of Person, Orange and Chatham.
- (b) Exclusive jurisdiction over Lee, Moore and Scotland counties.
- (c) Exclusive jurisdiction over all counties west of the 6 counties named in sub-sections (a) and (b) hereof.

§ 478.2 Sudan Temple

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction with Oasis Temple over the counties of Harnett, Hoke and Robeson.

(b) Exclusive jurisdiction over Granville, Durham and Wake counties.

(c) Exclusive jurisdiction over all counties east of the 6 counties named in sub-sections (a) and (b) hereof.

ARTICLE 79***Temples in North Dakota*****§ 479.1 El Zagal Temple**

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction with Kem Temple in North Dakota.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in the counties of Becker, Clay, Mahnomen and Norman, in the State of Minnesota, with Aad Temple.

§ 479.2 Kem Temple

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Zagal Temple in North Dakota.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Aad Temple in the Counties of Clearwater, Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall, Polk, Kittson and Rosseau, State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE 80***Temples in Ohio*****§ 480.1 Aladdin Temple**

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State of Ohio with Al Koran, Antioch, Tadmor, Syrian and Zenobia Temples, subject to agreements between Ohio and Kentucky Temples, and subject to provision that existing Shrine Clubs throughout the State of Ohio shall remain under the jurisdiction of the Temple under which they operated on July 14, 1936.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Hasa Temple in Lawrence and Scioto Counties, Ohio.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Belmont and Monroe Counties in Ohio.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Brooke and Hancock Counties in West Virginia.

§ 480.2 Al Koran Temple

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State of Ohio with Aladdin, Antioch, Tadmor, Syrian and Zenobia Temples, subject to agreements between Ohio and Kentucky Temples, and subject to provision that existing Shrine Clubs throughout the State of Ohio shall remain under the jurisdiction of the Temple under which they operated on July 14, 1936.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Belmont and Monroe Counties in Ohio.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Brooke and Hancock Counties in West Virginia.

§ 480.3 Antioch Temple

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State of Ohio with Aladdin, Al Koran, Tadmor, Syrian and Zenobia Temples, subject to agreements between Ohio and Kentucky Temples, and subject to provision that existing Shrine Clubs throughout the State of Ohio shall remain under the jurisdiction of the Temple under which they operated on July 14, 1936.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Hasa Temple in Lawrence and Scioto Counties, Ohio.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Belmont and Monroe Counties in Ohio.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Brooke and Hancock Counties in West Virginia.

§ 480.4 Tadmor Temple

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State of Ohio with Aladdin, Al Koran, Antioch, Syrian and Zenobia Temples, subject to agreements between Ohio and Kentucky Temples, and subject to provision that existing Shrine Clubs throughout the

State of Ohio shall remain under the jurisdiction of the Temple under which they operated on July 14, 1936.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Belmont and Monroe Counties in Ohio.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Brooke and Hancock Counties in West Virginia.

§ 480.5 Syrian Temple

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State of Ohio with Aladdin, Al Koran, Antioch, Tadmor and Zenobia Temples, subject to agreements between Ohio and Kentucky Temples, and subject to provision that existing Shrine Clubs throughout the State of Ohio shall remain under the jurisdiction of the Temple under which they operated on July 14, 1936.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Hasa Temple in Lawrence and Scioto Counties, Ohio.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Hasa, Kosair, Oleika and Rizpah Temples in Kenton, Campbell and Boone Counties, in Kentucky.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Belmont and Monroe Counties in Ohio.

(e) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Brooke and Hancock Counties in West Virginia.

§ 480.6 Zenobia Temple

Has:

(a) Concurrent jurisdiction throughout the State of Ohio with Aladdin, Al Koran, Antioch, Tadmor and Syrian Temples, subject to agreements between Ohio and Kentucky Temples, and subject to provision that existing Shrine Clubs throughout the State of Ohio shall remain under the jurisdiction of the Temple under which they operated on July 14, 1936.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Hasa Temple in Lawrence and Scioto Counties in Ohio.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Belmont and Monroe Counties in Ohio.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction with Osiris Temple in Brooke and Hancock Counties in West Virginia.

ARTICLE 81***Temples in Oklahoma*****§ 481.1 Akdar Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties: Tulsa, Grant, Garfield, Kay, Noble, Pawnee, Osage, Creek, Washington, Nowata, Rogers, Craig and Ottawa, and all of Okmulgee County lying north of a line dividing townships 14 and 15 and all of Okfuskee County lying north of the line dividing townships 10 and 11.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Bedouin Temple in Wagoner County.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with India Temple in Logan and Payne Counties.

§ 481.2 Bedouin Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties: Muskogee, Delaware, Mayes, Cherokee, Adair, Sequoyah, McIntosh, Haskell, Pittsburgh, Latimer, Le Flore, Coal, Atoka, Pushmataha, McCurtain, Bryan, Choctaw and Okmulgee County south of the line dividing townships 14 and 15 and all of Okfuskee County lying south of line dividing townships 10 and 11.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Akdar in Wagoner County.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with India in Pontotoc, Johnson, Marshall, Hughes and Seminole Counties.

§ 481.3 India Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties: Oklahoma, Lincoln, Cimarron, Texas, Beaver, Harper, Woods, Ellis, Woodward, Major, Alfalfa, Roger Mills, Dewey, Custer, Blaine, Kingfisher, Canadian, Caddo, Washita, Beckhan, Greer, Harmon, Jackson, Kiowa, Cotton, Tillman, Comanche, Grady, Stevens, Jefferson, Love, Carter, Murray, Garvin, McClain, Cleveland and Pottawatomie.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Bedouin Temple in the following counties: Pontotoc, Johnson, Marshall, Hughes and Seminole.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Akdar Temple in Logan and Payne Counties.

§ 481.4 Fees in Concurrent Territory

(a) In all territory concurrent between Bedouin and Akdar Temples the fee shall be the maximum fee fixed by either of said Temples.

(b) In all territory in which concurrent jurisdiction is provided between India and any other Temple, the fees shall be uniform; and the fees prescribed by India Temple shall govern.

(c) Any change in the fees charged by any Temple having concurrent jurisdiction shall become effective only after 90 days' notice in writing shall have been given to any other Temple interested in such territory.

ARTICLE 82

Temples in Oregon

§ 482.1 Al Kader Temple

Has concurrent jurisdiction with Hillah Temple in the State of Oregon.

§ 482.2 Hillah Temple

Has concurrent jurisdiction with Al Kader Temple in the State of Oregon.

ARTICLE 83

Temples in Pennsylvania

§ 483.1 Irem Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties of Pennsylvania: Tioga, Bradford, Susquehanna, Wayne, Lycoming, Sullivan, Wyoming, Lackawanna, Pike, Union, Snyder, Northumberland, Montour, Columbia, Luzerne, Carbon and Monroe Counties north of the line separating Irem from Rajah.

§ 483.2 Jaffa Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the counties of Potter, Caméron, Clinton, Centre, Clearfield, Jefferson, Cambria, Blair, Huntingdon, Mifflin, Fulton and Bedford, to the jurisdictional lines between Syria Temple of Pittsburg, Pa., and Jaffa Temple in the counties of Somerset, Westmoreland and Indiana.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Zem Zem Temple in the County of Elk.

§ 483.3 Lu Lu Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in Pennsylvania east of a direct line drawn from Durham Furnace in the northwestern portion of Bucks County to Elk Mills in the southwestern portion of Chester County.

§ 483.4 Rajah Temple

Has jurisdiction in Berks and Lehigh Counties and that portion of Bucks, Chester and Montgomery Counties above the line separating Rajah and Lu Lu on the southeast; that portion of Northampton, Carbon, Schuylkill and Northumberland Counties south of the line separating Rajah from Irem on the north, and Lebanon and Lancaster Counties, they being concurrent with Zembo on the west; also the towns of Tamaqua, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Girardville and Ashland in Schuylkill County and Mt. Carmel and Shamokin in Northumberland County.

§ 483.5 Syria Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over all the territory south of Mercer and Venango Counties and that part of Clarion south of the lines continuous with the south line of Venango to the town of Arjay in Jefferson County; thence directly south through Jefferson, Indiana, Westmoreland and Somerset Counties to the southern state line.

§ 483.6 Zembo Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Franklin, Juniata, Perry, Cumberland, Adams, York and Dauphin Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Rajah Temple of Reading, in Lancaster and Lebanon Counties.

§ 483.7 Zem Zem Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the counties of Erie, Crawford, Mercer, Venango, Forrest, McKean, Warren and that part of Clarion, north of the lines continuous with the south line of Venango.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Jaffa Temple in Elk County.

ARTICLE 84***Temples in Rhode Island*****§ 484.1 Palestine Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the State of Rhode Island.

ARTICLE 85***Temples in South Carolina*****§ 485.1 Hejaz Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over Greenville, Spartanburg, Cherokee, York, Lancaster, Chester, Fairfield, Union, Laurens, Newberry, Saluda, Edgefield, McCormick, Greenwood, Abbeville, Anderson, Oconee and Pickens Counties.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over Richland County with Omar Temple.

§ 485.2 Omar Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the State of South Carolina, except in counties of Greenville, Spartanburg, Cherokee, York, Lancaster, Chester, Fairfield, Union, Laurens, Newberry, Saluda, Edgefield, McCormick, Greenwood, Abbeville, Anderson, Oconee, Pickens and Richland.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in Richland County with Hejaz Temple.

ARTICLE 86***Temples in South Dakota*****§ 486.1 El Riad Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the county of Minnehaha.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in all other counties of the State except Brown County, in which Yelduz Temple is located, and Lawrence, Harding, Butte, Meade, Pennington, Custer, Fall River, Washington, Shannon, Washabaugh, and Bennett Counties, over which Naja Temple has exclusive jurisdiction.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Abu Bekr Temple in Lyon County, Iowa, and in Union and Clay Counties of South Dakota subject to an agreement dated October 21, 1957, ratified by El

Riad, Yelduz and Naja Temples of South Dakota and Abu Bekr Temple of Iowa.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction in Rock County in the State of Minnesota with Osman Temple of St. Paul and Zuhrah Temple of Minneapolis.

§ 486.2 Naja Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the counties of Lawrence, Harding, Butte, Meade, Pennington, Custer, Fall River, Washington, Shannon, Washabaugh and Bennett.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in all the other counties of the State except Minnehaha, where El Riad Temple is located, and Brown where Yelduz Temple is located.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Abu Bekr Temple in Lyon County, Iowa, and in Union and Clay Counties of South Dakota subject to an agreement dated October 21, 1957 ratified by El Riad, Yelduz and Naja Temples of South Dakota and Abu Bekr Temple of Iowa.

§ 486.3 Yelduz Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the county of Brown.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction in all the other counties of the State except Minnehaha, in which El Riad Temple is located, and Lawrence, Harding, Butte, Meade, Pennington, Custer, Fall River, Washington, Shannon, Washabaugh and Bennett Counties, over which Naja Temple has exclusive jurisdiction.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Abu Bekr Temple in Lyon County, Iowa, and in Union and Clay Counties of South Dakota subject to an agreement dated October 21, 1957, ratified by El Riad, Yelduz and Naja Temples of South Dakota and Abu Bekr Temple of Iowa.

ARTICLE 87

Temples in Tennessee

§ 487.1 Al Chymia Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over all the western division of the State of Tennessee.

§ 487.2 Alhambra Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the County of Polk and all territory lying west of the Counties of Scott, Morgan, Roane, Loudon, Monroe and Polk at present coming within the jurisdiction of Alhambra Temple.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Kerbela Temple in the Counties of Scott, Morgan, Roane, Loudon and Monroe in the State of Tennessee.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Yaarab Temple of Atlanta, Georgia, over the Counties of Catoosa, Dade, and Walker in the State of Georgia, in accordance with that certain agreement entered into between Yaarab Temple of Atlanta, Georgia and Alhambra Temple.

(d) Concurrent jurisdiction with Al Menah Temple in the Counties of Grundy, Franklin and Warren in the State of Tennessee.

(Agreement between Zamora and Alhambra Temples as to Concurrent jurisdiction in Certain Counties, 1949. No amendment to this Article).

§ 487.3 Al Menah Temple

Has:

(a) Jurisdiction over the middle division of Tennessee, with the exception of the Counties of Cumberland, Fentress and Van Buren.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Alhambra Temple over the Counties of Grundy, Franklin and Warren in the State of Tennessee.

§ 487.4 Kerbela Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Campbell, Anderson, Knox, Blount and all counties lying east thereof in the State of Tennessee.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Alhambra Temple in the Counties of Scott, Morgan, Roane, Loudon, and Monroe, in the State of Tennessee.

ARTICLE 88***Temples in Texas*****§ 488.1 Alfzafar Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Maverick, Real, Uvalde, Zavala, Demmit, Kerr, Bandera, Medina, Frio, LaSalle, Webb, Zapata, Kendall, Comal, Bexar, Atascosa, McMullen, Duval, Jim Hogg, Starr, Guadalupe, Wilson, Live Oak, Jim Wells, Brooks, Hidalgo, Cameron, Willacy, Kleberg, Nueces, San Patricio, Bee,, Kenedy, Karnes, DeWitt and the south $\frac{1}{2}$ of Gonzales.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Suez Temple in the Counties of Val Verde and Kinney.

§ 488.2 Arabia Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Angelina, Houston, Madison, Trinity, Polk, San Jacinto, Colorado, Walker, Grimes, Montgomery, Liberty, Harris, Waller, Austin, Fort Bend.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with El Mina Temple in the Counties of Wharton, Lavaca, Victoria, Jackson, Matagorda, Goliad, Refugio, Aransas, and Calhoun.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Ben Hur Temple in the Counties of Brazos, Washington and Fayette.

§ 488.3 Ben Hur Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Mason, Gillespie, San Saba, Llano, Mills, Lampasas, Burnet, Blanco, Williamson, Travis, Hays, Caldwell, Bastrop, Lee, Burleson, Milam, Robertson, Leon and north $\frac{1}{2}$ of Gonzales.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Arabia Temple in Brazos, Washington and Fayette Counties.

§ 488.4 El Maida Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Gaines, Andrews, Loving, Winkler, Ector, El Paso, Hudspeth, Reeves, Culberson, Jeff Davis, Presidio, Brewster, Pecos, Ward and Terrell.

§ 488.5 El Mina Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Brazoria, Galveston, Chambers, Jefferson, Orange, Hardin, Jasper, Newton and Tyler.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Arabia Temple in Lavaca, Wharton, Jackson, Matagorda, Victoria, Calhoun, Goliad, Refugio and Aransas.

§ 488.6 Hella Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Grayson, Collin, Dallas, Ellis, Fanin, Hunt, Rockwall, Kaufman, Lamar, Hopkins, Rains, Van Zandt, Red River, Franklin, Titus, Camp, Morris, Bowie, Cass and Delta.

§ 488.7 Karem Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Comanche, Hamilton, Coryell, Bell, Falls, McLennan, Bosque, Somervell, Hill, Limestone, Freestone and Navarro.

§ 488.8 Khiva Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Dallam, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Lipscomb, Hartley, Moore, Hutchinson, Roberts, Hemphill, Oldham, Potter, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, Deaf Smith, Randall, Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Parmer, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Hall, Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Cottle, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Yoakum, Terry and Lynn.

§ 488.9 Maskat Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Childress, Dickens, King, Stonewall, Jones, Haskell, Knox, Foard, Hardeman, Wilbarger, Baylor, Young, Throckmorton, Archer, Wichita, Clay, Jack and Montague.

§ 488.10 Moslah Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Cooke, Wise, Denton, Tarrant, Parker, Erath, Palo Pinto, Hood, Johnson, Stephens, Callahan, Shackelford and Eastland. (Suez, by agreement ratified July 16, 1953, will give waiver to Moslah on residents of Brown County.)

§ 488.11 Sharon Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Anderson, Cherokee, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Marion, Nacogdoches, Panola, Rusk, Shelby, Sabine, San Augustine, Smith, Upshur and Wood.

§ 488.12 Suez Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the Counties of Garza, Kent, Dawson, Borden, Scurry, Fisher, Martin, Howard, Mitchell, Glasscock, Sterling, Coke, Crane, Runnels, Upton, Reagan, Irion, Tom Green, Concho, Midland, Nolen, McCulloch, Crockett, Menard, Kimble, Schleicher, Sutton, Edwards, Taylor, Coleman and Brown (except, by agreement ratified July 16, 1953, Suez will give waiver to Moslah Temple on residents of Brown County).

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Alzafar Temple in Val Verde and Kinney Counties.

ARTICLE 89***Temples in Utah*****§ 489.1 El Kalah Temple**

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the State of Utah.

ARTICLE 90***Temples in Vermont*****§ 490.1 Cairo Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Rutland County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over all the State with Mt. Sinai Temple, except in Washington County.

§ 490.2 Mount Sinai Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Washington County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Cairo Temple over all the State, except in Rutland County.

ARTICLE 91***Temples in Virginia*****§ 491.1 Acca Temple**

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the State of Virginia except

that portion assigned to Kazim, Kena and Khedive Temples.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Kazim Temple in the counties of Campbell, Amherst, Alleghany and Bath, including the incorporated cities of Lynchburg, Clifton Forge and Covington.

§ 491.2 Kazim Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the following counties: Lee, Wise, Dickenson, Buchanan, Scott, Russell, Tazewell, Smyth, Washington, Grayson, Wythe, Bland, Giles, Pulaski, Carroll, Floyd, Patrick, Montgomery, Craig, Botetourt, Roanoke, Franklin, Henry, Bedford and Rockbridge.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Acca Temple in the counties of Campbell, Amherst, Alleghany and Bath, including the incorporated cities of Lynchburg, Clifton Forge and Covington.

§ 491.3 Kena Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the following Counties: Fairfax and Arlington, and the incorporated city of Alexandria.

§ 491.4 Khedive Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over Accomac, Northampton, Princess Anne, Norfolk, Nansemond, Isle of Wight, Southampton, Surry, James City, Warwick, Elizabeth City, York, Gloucester, Middlesex, Mathews, Northumberland, Lancaster and Sussex Counties; and the cities of Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk, Newport News, Hampton, Williamsburg, Chesapeake and Virginia Beach.

ARTICLE 92

Temples in Washington

§ 492.1 Afifi Temple

Has jurisdiction over that portion of the State of Washington west of the 120th degree of longitude and south of a line drawn due east and west equidistant from Seattle and Tacoma from the 120th degree of longitude to the Pacific Ocean.

§ 492.2 El Katif Temple

Has jurisdiction over all that part of Washington lying east of the 120th degree of longitude so far as Afifi Temple is concerned, to the east and west line between Afifi and Nile Temples, and

all that portion of the State lying east of the 121st degree of longitude so far as Nile Temple is concerned.

§ 492.3 Nile Temple

Has jurisdiction over that portion of the State of Washington north of a line running due east and west, equidistant from Seattle and Tacoma, and west of the 121st degree of longitude; and over Alaska.

ARTICLE 93

Temples in West Virginia

§ 493.1 Beni Kedem Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in the Magisterial Districts of Walton, Geary and Smithfield in Roane County; and all of Mason, Putnam, Cabell, Kanawha, Clay, Braxton, Webster, Pocahontas, Greenbrier, Nicholas, Fayette, Boone, Lincoln, Wayne, Mingo, Logan, Wyoming, Raleigh, Summers, Monroe, Mercer and McDowell Counties.

§ 493.2 Nemesis Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction in Tyler, Doddridge, Harrison, Lewis, Gilmer, Ritchie, Pleasants, Wood, Wirt, Jackson and Calhoun Counties; and in Roane County, except the Magisterial Districts of Walton, Geary and Smithfield in said county.

§ 493.3 Osiris Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in the following Counties in West Virginia: Ohio, Marshall, Wetzel, Monongahela, Marion, Preston, Taylor, Barbour, Upshur, Randolph, Tucker, Grant, Pendleton, Hardy, Hampshire, Mineral, Morgan, Berkeley and Jefferson.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with all of the Ohio Temples in Brooke and Hancock Counties in the State of West Virginia.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with all of the Ohio Temples in Belmont and Monroe Counties in the State of Ohio.

ARTICLE 94

Temples in Wisconsin

§ 494.1 Tripoli Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Milwaukee County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over all the State with Zor Temple, except in Dane County.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Aad Temple in Douglas, Bayfield and Ashland Counties, Wisconsin, as agreed between Tripoli, Zor and Aad Temples.

§ 494.2 Zor Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction in Dane County.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction over all the State with Tripoli Temple, except in Milwaukee County.

(c) Concurrent jurisdiction with Aad Temple in Douglas, Bayfield and Ashland Counties, Wisconsin, as agreed between Tripoli, Zor and Aad Temples.

ARTICLE 95

Temples in Wyoming

§ 495.1 Kalif Temple

Has jurisdiction over all that part of the State of Wyoming north of the 43rd parallel.

§ 495.2 Korein Temple

Has jurisdiction over all that part of Wyoming south of the 43rd parallel.

ARTICLE 96

Temples in Canada

§ 496.1 Al Azhar Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the Province of Alberta, Canada.

§ 496.2 Gizeh Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the Province of British Columbia and Yukon Territory.

§ 496.3 Karnak Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the Province of Quebec, Canada.

§ 496.4 Khartum Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the Province of Manitoba, Canada.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Mocha Temple over that part of the Province of Ontario in Canada lying to the west of the 88th parallel (West) longitude.

§ 496.5 Luxor Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the Province of New Brunswick.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Philae Temple over the Province of Prince Edward Island.

§ 496.6 Mocha Temple

Has:

(a) Jurisdiction bounded on the south, west and north by the official map of the Province of Ontario, and on the east by a line drawn $\frac{1}{2}$ way between the City of Toronto and the City of London, except that part of the Province of Ontario lying to the west of the 88th parallel (West) longitude.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Khartum Temple over that part of the Province of Ontario in Canada lying to the west of the 88th parallel (West) longitude.

§ 496.7 Philae Temple

Has:

(a) Exclusive jurisdiction over the Provinces of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland.

(b) Concurrent jurisdiction with Luxor Temple over the Province of Prince Edward Island.

§ 496.8 Rameses Temple

Has jurisdiction over that portion of the Province of Ontario lying east of a line intersecting at right angles a line drawn between the cities of Toronto and London, at a point midway between the two named cities.

§ 496.9 Wa Wa Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the Province of Saskatchewan, Canada.

ARTICLE 97

Temples in Canal Zone

§ 497.1 Abou Saad Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the Canal Zone, Republic of

Panama, Costa Rica, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Ecuador, Venezuela and Colombia.

ARTICLE 98

Temples in Mexico

§ 498.1 Anezeh Temple

Has exclusive jurisdiction over the Republic of Mexico and the Republic of Guatemala.

APPENDIX **FORMS OF IMPERIAL COUNCIL**

PETITION FOR INITIATION AND MEMBERSHIPTEMPLE

TO THE POTENTATE, OFFICERS AND NOBLES OF
.....TEMPLE, SITUATED IN THE OASIS OF.....,
DESERT OF.....:

I, the undersigned, hereby declare that I am a KNIGHT TEMPLAR in good standing in.....COMMANDERY No..... K. T., located at.....; a 32° A. & A. SCOTTISH RITE MASON in good standing in.....CONSISTORY A.A.S.R., located at.....

Furthermore, I do not now, and never will, hold membership in or allegiance to, any Body claiming to be Masonic that has been declared clandestine by a Commandery or Preceptory of Knights Templar in amity with, and recognized by the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America, or Consistory of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry of the obedience of either the Supreme Council of the Northern or of the Southern Masonic Jurisdiction of such Rite in the United States, or of a Supreme Council in amity with and recognized by them; that I have resided within the jurisdiction of your Temple, or in unoccupied territory, not less than 6 months, as required by the By Laws of the Imperial Council, and that I am not under suspension or expulsion in either of the Bodies prerequisite to this Order, and respectfully pray that I may be made a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, and become a member of your Temple.

If I be found worthy, and my request granted, I promise to conform to the Articles of Incorporation and By Laws of the Imperial Council and the By Laws and Ceremonies of your Temple.

Birthplace..... Date of Birth.....
Profession or occupation.....
Have you previously applied for admission to any Temple of the Order?...
If so, to what Temple?.....When?.....
Residence

	<i>Number and Street</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Business Address				
	<i>Number and Street</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Mail Address				
	<i>Number and Street</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Date.....19....				

Signature.....
NAME IN FULL, *initials not sufficient*

PRINT FULL NAME HERE.....
RECOMMENDED AND VOUCHERD FOR ON THE HONOR OF
NOBLE.....
NOBLE.....

MEMBERSHIP CARD

..... Temple

A.A.O.N.M.S. of

This is to certify that Noble.....
is a member of Temple, and declared to be
in good and regular standing during the year 19.....

.....
Signature of Member *Recorder*

(Not valid unless signed by Noble named hereon)

DIPLOMA
THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

OF THE
ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER
OF THE
NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE
FOR NORTH AMERICA

To all True and Faithful Nobles of the Mystic Shrine:

Know Ye that the Worthy Noble
was regularly received, admitted and constituted A Noble of the Mystic
Shrine in Temple of, on the
..... day of, and that he is duly enrolled as such
upon the records of the Order.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto subscribed our names
and affixed the Seal of The Imperial Council for North America.

Attest:

Imperial Recorder

Imperial Potentate

(SEAL)

.....
Temple.

.....
Recorder.

PETITION FOR AFFILIATION
 TEMPLE
 ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE
 NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE

TO THE POTENTATE, OFFICERS AND NOBLES OF.....

TEMPLE, SITUATED IN THE OASIS OF, DESERT OF

I, the undersigned, a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, initiated in
 TEMPLE, located at, on (date) and last a member
 of TEMPLE, located at, which has granted
 the attached Certificate of Demit, respectfully pray that I may be admitted
 a member of your Temple. I furthermore state that I have not been sus-
 pended or expelled in either of the Orders prerequisite to membership in
 the Shrine, since the date of issuing the Demit presented herewith. I further-
 more state that I have resided within the jurisdiction of your Temple not
 less than six months, as required by the By-laws of the Imperial Council.

I am a KNIGHT TEMPLAR in good standing in..... COMMANDERY,

No., K. T., located at.....;

a 32° A. & A. SCOTTISH RITE MASON in good standing in

CONSISTORY, A. A. S. R., located at

Birthplace Date of Birth

Profession or occupation

Residence

Number and Street Town State

Business Address

Number and Street Town State

Mail Address

Number and Street Town State

Date 19.....

Signature.....

NAME IN FULL, *initials not sufficient.*

PRINT FULL NAME HERE.....

RECOMMENDED BY

NOBLE.....

NOBLE.....

PETITION FOR RESTORATION
.....TEMPLE
ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE
NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE

TO THE POTENTATE, OFFICERS AND NOBLES OF
TEMPLE, SITUATED IN THE OASIS OF, DESERT OF

I, the undersigned, a former member of your Temple and now under sentence of, because of, respectfully request that I may be restored to membership.

I have liquidated all indebtedness to the Temple and if my request be granted I promise to conform to the Articles of Incorporation and By-laws of the Imperial Council together with those of your Temple. I furthermore declare that I am

a KNIGHT TEMPLAR in good standing in COMMANDERY,
No., K. T., located at

a 32° A. & A. SCOTTISH RITE MASON in good standing in
CONSISTORY, A. A. S. R., located at

Birthplace Date of Birth

Profession or occupation

Residence
Number and Street Town State

Business Address
Number and Street Town State

Mail Address
Number and Street Town State

Date.....19.....

Signature.....
NAME IN FULL, *initials not sufficient.*

PRINT FULL NAME HERE.....

RECOMMENDED BY

NOBLE.....

NOBLE.....

CERTIFICATE OF DEMIT

ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE:

WHEREAS, a Noble of the Mystic Shrine initiated a member of Temple on (date) and a late Member of Temple located at, under a Charter from the Imperial Council for North America, has regularly withdrawn from said Temple, and conformed to its By-laws; therefore he is hereby granted this certificate that he is in good standing, free from charges and free from indebtedness, assessments or voluntary obligations to this Temple.

Check this box if Noble is the holder of a
☐ Permanent Contributing Membership and is exempt from paying Hospital assessment.

..... (name of Temple through which
Temple PCM was purchased).

..... (date PCM was purchased).

Date

Remarks:

Witness his and our hands and seal of the Temple, this
day of, 19....

Attest: (Signature)

Residence

Age.....years. Profession.....

..... *Potentate*

..... *Recorder*

(SEAL)

APPLICATION FOR DISPENSATION
TO THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE
NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA

The petition of the undersigned respectfully represents that they are Knights Templar, or 32° Masons, and in good standing as Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, residing in, in State of, and competent to form and open a Temple of this Order, and to properly discharge the various duties thereof, according to the requirements of the Articles of Incorporation and By-laws of the Imperial Council.

Having the welfare and prosperity of the Order at heart, and being desirous of extending its benefits to worthy Knights Templar and 32° Masons, they pray for a Dispensation, empowering them to form, open and hold a regular Temple of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine at, State of, to be designated as Temple, and they beg to recommend

Nobleto be the first Potentate of said Temple.

Noble.....to be Chief Rabban

Noble.....to be Assistant Rabban

Noble.....to be High Priest and Prophet

Noble.....to be Oriental Guide

Noble.....to be Treasurer, and

Noble.....to be Recorder.

NAME	RESIDENCE	PROFESSION	COMMANDERY	CONSISTORY
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A Noble signing an application for a dispensation for a Temple becomes a member of the Temple under dispensation on the day such dispensation is granted by the Imperial Council, and shall be amenable to it for dues; but the Temple of which he was a member prior to the granting of the dispensation may retain the dues already received from such member for the current year.

CERTIFICATE OF DISPENSATION
THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

OF THE
ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC
SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA

TO ALL TRUE AND FAITHFUL NOBLES TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL
COME:
ES SELAMU ALEIKUM

KNOW YE, that the Imperial Council assembled in Regular Called Session
on _____, at _____, did by appropriate
action grant this

D I S P E N S A T I O N

to form a Temple of the Order to be named _____ Temple
in the City _____, State of _____

Said _____ Temple to work under Dispensation until after
the next Regular Session of the Imperial Council in the legal jurisdiction
approved by the Imperial Council.

Provisional Officers for the life of this Dispensation to be

Noble _____, Potentate

Noble _____, Chief Rabban

Noble _____, Assistant Rabban

Noble _____, High Priest and Prophet

Noble _____, Oriental Guide

Noble _____, Treasurer

Noble _____, Recorder

as stated in request for said Dispensation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto subscribed our names and
affixed the Seal of the Imperial Council for North America.

Imperial Potentate.

Attest:

Imperial Recorder.

(SEAL)

CERTIFICATE OF CHARTER
ES SELAMU ALEIKUM
 THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE
 ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE
 MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA

TO ALL ILLUSTRIOUS NOBLES TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:
 POWER JUSTICE MERCY

KNOW YE, That we, the IMPERIAL COUNCIL of the Ancient Arabic Order,
 Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America on this day
 of, 19...., do hereby authorize and empower
 our Illustrious Nobles,,,
,, and,
 to form and open a Temple of the Mystic Shrine at
 in the State of Under the Title of
 Temple, there to exemplify the Ritual of the Order upon all whom they
 deem worthy of the honor and to install their successors as elected and
 chosen, and invest them with all the powers of their respective offices, and
 all successors from time to time who shall officiate likewise, always in
 conformity with the Articles of Incorporation and the By-laws of the
 Imperial Council and the By-laws of the Temple.

Given under our hands and the Seal of the Imperial Council this
 day of, 19....

Attest
 (SEAL)

Imperial Potentate.

Imperial Recorder.

CERTIFICATE TO ACCOMPANY NEW OR AMENDED
BY-LAWS OR ASSESSMENTS

I,, Potentate of
Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S. of, hereby
certify that the annexed resolution relating to,
(By-laws, amendments to By-laws, or assessments, as the case may be), was
first submitted in writing at a stated meeting on the day of
....., 19.....

That the resolution was then referred to a special committee appointed
by the Potentate, who reported on the same at the next stated meeting,
(providing Temple By-laws require this action).

That at the next stated meeting, held on the day of
....., the resolution was adopted by more than
a two thirds vote, to-wit: total number of Nobility present;
Yeas; Nays

That a notice of the meeting was given to every member of the
Temple by notice mailed on the day of
19....., to the last known address of each member, and that the notice
set forth the resolution in full and that it would be acted upon at said
meeting.

A copy of the notice is hereto attached.

Complete copies of the By-laws of the Temple are also attached hereto.

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Potentate

(SEAL)

Attest:

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Recorder

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TEMPLE

Date.....19....

(Please enter all information called for on this questionnaire, attaching separate sheets if additional space is necessary in replying to any specific questions.)

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 (b) Will title be examined and approved by counsel?.....
 Who?

 5. How is title to the property to be taken? (a) In name of Temple?
 (b) In name of trustees?.....
 (c) In name of title-holding corporation?.....
 (d) Other (specify)
 If title is to be held by trustees, supply a copy of the proposed trust instrument or the Temple By-law reflecting trust set-up. If a corporate title-holding vehicle is to be used, supply a copy of the proposed articles of incorporation and By-laws if corporation not yet created, or certified copy of documents if corporation is already in existence. If a letter of exemption from federal tax has been obtained, attach a copy.
6. Are adequate parking facilities available?.....
7. Is the property zoned for the intended use?.....
8. Is the neighborhood disintegrating or improving?.....

9. If the project is a new building or remodeling:
 (a) Has architect been employed? Name?.....

 (b) Have plans and detailed drawings been prepared?.....
 (c) Has architect been paid?..... if not, what is the arrangement and amount of his fees?.....

 (d) Has architect supplied you with realistic estimates of total cost? If so, attach a copy of his estimates of total cost with customary breakdown as to major items.
 (e) Do you contemplate building in one construction project or a series of projects? Explain fully.

- (f) When do you propose starting construction?.....
 - (g) What is the estimated period of time for completion?.....
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 - (h) Will the construction of the entire project be let to one general contractor?..... if not, state the sections or portions of the work which will be let under separate contracts:
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 - (i) If the construction is not to be carried on under one general contract, explain reasons therefore, proposed construction schedule as to each part or portion, and the estimated cost of each:.....
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 - (j) Will the contractor or contractors be bonded?.....
 - (k) Who will negotiate the construction contracts, and who will pass upon the legal adequacy of construction documents?.....
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10. How will the proposed project be financed? State fully:
- (a) Cash or its equivalent on hand for the project. \$......
 - (b) Loan amount. \$......
 - (c) Name of proposed mortgagee and attach copy of any commitment for a loan.
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 - (d) Bond issue. \$......
 - (e) Who will hold bonds and how will they be sold or placed?
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- (f) Other financing or contributions. \$.
Explain fully and supply information regarding any firm commitments.
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- (g) Voluntary contributions. Set forth plan in full, including present accomplishments, money collected, and total amount pledged, and whether or not a loan can be secured against the pledges.
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- (h) Terms of amortization. Set forth information in detail. Also, the sources of revenue from which it is proposed that the installments of principal and interest will be paid.
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(Attach copies of the Temple's audit statements, including balance sheets and earnings statements, for the past 3 years and give full particulars of financing program, including other Temple obligations, if any, and sources from which it is proposed to meet normal Temple obligations and amortization payments.)

11. If financing by loan or bond issue is contemplated, what provision has been made to bind future Potentates to carry out the plan of amortization?
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12. What security, either real or personal property, will be pledged or mortgaged to secure the contemplated loan or bonds?
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13. Is an assessment of members or increase in dues contemplated or necessary to finance the proposed project in addition to normal Temple expense and operations?
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14. Has the project been approved by a vote of the Temple?
If so, supply a copy of the notice informing the membership of the meeting at which the project was to be voted upon and a certified copy of the resolutions adopted in connection with the project.
Number of Nobility in attendance at the meeting
Tabulation of voting on project Yeas..... Nays.....

Respectfully submitted,
.....
Potentate

ATTEST:
.....
Recorder

PERMISSION MUST BE OBTAINED FOR ANY CHANGE OF PLANS INVOLVING ADDITIONAL OBLIGATIONS.

We, the undersigned officers of the above named Temple, respectively the Potentate and the Recorder, for and in behalf of said Temple, do hereby promise and state that no contract or contracts will be let, or obligations contracted for, which will increase the cost of the proposed building project above the amount stated as currently desirable in the above request for permission; and if the Temple desires to incur obligations above that amount, then another request for permission will be made to the Imperial Potentate setting forth the reason or necessity for such expenditure and the plan or method proposed or adopted to liquidate such additional obligation.

Dated this day of, 19.....
.....
Potentate
.....
Recorder

**UNIFORM CHART OF ACCOUNTS
FOR
SHRINE TEMPLES — A. A. O. N. M. S.
GROUP**

- I ASSETS
- II LIABILITIES
- III RESERVES
- IV NET WORTH
- V INCOME
- VI FUND RAISING ENTERPRISES
- VII EXPENSE

GROUP I — CHART OF ACCOUNTS

Account No.

ASSETS

100	Bank-Checking Account
101	Bank-Savings Account
102	Cash Imprest Fund-Revolving Fund Petty Cash
110	Dues Receivable
111	Accounts Receivable
112	Cash Advances
120	Investments—Stocks & Bonds
121	Investments—Other
130	Mosque Building
131	Other Buildings
132	Furniture & Equipment
133	Paraphernalia
134	Land & Real Estate
140	Merchandise Inventory—Fez
141	Merchandise Inventory—Food & Beverage
142	Merchandise Inventory—Jewels, etc.
150	Prepaid Expenses
151	Other Deferred Charges

GROUP II — CHART OF ACCOUNTS

Account No.

LIABILITIES

200	Accounts Payable—Imperial Council Hospital Levy
200-A	Accounts Payable—Imperial Council—Other
201	Accounts Payable—Other

202	Social Security Tax Withheld
203	Withholding Tax—Federal
204	Withholding Tax—State
204-A	Withholding Tax—Municipal
205	Dues Paid in Advance
206	Initiation Fees Paid in Advance
207	Deferred Revenue
208	P.C.M. and V.P.S.
209	Hospital Levy Paid in Advance
210	Accrued Year End Expenses
211	Long Term Debt

GROUP III — CHART OF ACCOUNTS

Account No.

RESERVES

300	Depreciation Reserve
301	Temple Life Membership Reserve
302	Other Reserves

GROUP IV — CHART OF ACCOUNTS

Account No.

NET WORTH

350	Members Equity
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GROUP V — CHART OF ACCOUNTS

Account No.

INCOME

400	Initiation Fees
401	Dues
402	Hospital Levy
403	Rental Income
404	Investment Income
405	Miscellaneous Revenue
406	Donations or Contributions

GROUP VI — CHART OF ACCOUNTS

Account No.

FUND RAISING ENTERPRISES

500	Pilgrimage Account
501	Circus Account
502	Fez Sales
503	Other Merchandise Sales
504	Club or Restaurant
505	Profit on Sale of Investments
506	Shrine Magazine

GROUP VII — CHART OF ACCOUNTS

Account No.

EXPENSE

600	Imperial Council
601	Administrative
602	Business Sessions
603	Ceremonials
604	Entertainment
605	Charity and Floral
606	Visitations and Pilgrimages
607	Units
608	Promotional
609	Publicity
610	Dues to Organizations
611	Supplies and Equipment (not capitalized)
612	Rent
613	Repairs and Maintenance
614	Depreciation

EXPENSE — DETAIL

The following subsidiary breakdown of the Expense Accounts is not necessary unless the Temple desires to keep such a breakdown. Many Temples will want to divide these accounts in a different manner than is shown in the Chart of Accounts. There is no objection to that if they maintain the general captions. For example—600 Imperial Council, 601 Administrative, etc.

Breaking down the expenses as follows is very desirable in having readily available the actual costs of a specific item.

Account No.

600	Imperial Council
A	Per Capita Dues
B	Hospital Levy
C	Creations
D	Miscellaneous
601	Administrative
A	Salaries (except building salaries)
B	Printing & Stationery
C	Postage
D	Office equipment maintenance
E	Taxes (except on realty)
F	Insurance & Bonds
G	Telephone & Telegraph

- H Remission of Dues
- I Interest paid
- J Supplies
- K Miscellaneous
- L Audit

- 602 Business Sessions
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EXPLANATION OF ACCOUNTS

GROUP I — ASSETS

ACCOUNT 100-101: BANK CHECKING & SAVINGS

Record of all deposits in and withdrawals out or checks written. A separate account should be maintained for each bank account, whether checking or savings. Checks should be of the voucher type and printed in duplicate.

ACCOUNT 102: PETTY CASH REVOLVING FUND

The amount of cash on hand necessary to meet all minor needs should be determined and that amount charged to this account. The fund should be operated on an imprest basis.

ACCOUNT 110: DUES RECEIVABLE

Under correct procedure at the beginning of the year, the total Accounts Receivable from members for dues should be computed and charged to this account. The part that goes to the Imperial Council should be credited separately under Account 200. The hospital fund should be credited separately for its part under Account 200-A. The remainder is the income available for the operation of the Temple and is shown in Account 401. In many cases, the accounts are not handled in this manner, but if so handled, should follow the procedure above.

ACCOUNT 111: ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

This represents amounts due from commercial organizations arising from sales to them. An example would be sale of advertising space in the Temple Magazine.

ACCOUNT 112: CASH ADVANCES

From time to time, it may be necessary to advance funds to various organizations, such as uniformed units, etc. This account should be charged with the amount that has been advanced, and credited as payments are received.

ACCOUNT 120: INVESTMENTS—STOCKS & BONDS

In this account should be listed all the investments in stocks and bonds, except in the case where the Temple has corporate ownership in a Mosque, or a Temple, with Scottish Rite or other Masonic organizations. Where such stock is held, it should be considered as an investment in buildings and carried under Account 130. This account is charged with all securities purchased and credited with securities sold or otherwise disposed of.

ACCOUNT 121: INVESTMENTS—OTHER

There will not be many occasions where this account will be used. But, in case there should be other investments, they should be carried in this account.

ACCOUNT 130: MOSQUE BUILDING

This includes the cost of purchase, construction, or other carrying value of the Mosque Building only, and any subsequent improvement should be charged here. Please bear in mind that if you have an ownership in a building with other organizations as evidenced by stock this should be carried in Account 130.

ACCOUNT 131: OTHER BUILDINGS

This includes the cost of purchase, construction, or other carrying value of all other buildings owned by the Temple, including Shrine Club buildings, if paid for by the Temple, or acquired by gift.

ACCOUNT 132: FURNITURE & EQUIPMENT

All items of equipment and furniture which have a useful life of one year, or more, should be charged to this account. If any of the furniture or equipment be disposed of, it should be credited to this account.

ACCOUNT 133: PARAPHERNALIA

This account should be charged with the original cost of uniforms, costumes, regalia, etc. Dispositions should be credited when they occur.

ACCOUNT 134: LAND AND REAL ESTATE

All land sites owned by the Temple should be charged here, including the land on which the Mosque Building is situated, a country club, or any other real property. The cost prices should be used. If acquired other than by purchase, a carrying value (market appraisal, etc.) should be determined for record purposes.

ACCOUNT 140: MERCHANDISE INVENTORY—FEZ

The Fez inventory should be charged with all fezzes purchased. If fezzes are given to candidates, they should be charged under Account 603 and this account credited.

ACCOUNT 141: MERCHANDISE INVENTORY—FOOD AND BEVERAGE

This account should contain items which are for resale. Such items may include food, beverages, tobacco, items of uniforms, etc.

ACCOUNT 142: MERCHANDISE INVENTORY—JEWELS, ETC

This account should contain the merchandise inventory for any jewels that are held for sale. There may, on occasion, be some Past Master's or Past Potentate's jewels. These are held in this account until disposed of.

ACCOUNT 150: PREPAID EXPENSES

This account should be charged with payments for expenses and supplies for which the benefit, or use, will extend over into the next accounting period. It also should include premiums on all types of insurance and credits will be made according to a schedule of insurance, and charged to Account 601-F.

ACCOUNT 151: OTHER DEFERRED CHARGES

This account should be charged with accrued interest and other items of a similar nature that apply to a subsequent accounting period.

GROUP II — LIABILITIES

ACCOUNT 200: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE—IMPERIAL COUNCIL

HOSPITAL LEVY

On January 1st of each year, every Temple pays to the Imperial Council \$5.00 for members on the roll December 31st, preceding, who are not permanent members of the hospital. This account is charged at the time the payment is made to the Imperial Recorder. If the cash basis of accounting is followed, then dues are collected. The \$5.00 for the hospital is credited to this account, and the account is charged when payment is made to the Imperial Recorder. As new members are created during the year the same procedure as is used at the beginning of the year should be followed, that is, charge dues receivable and credit Account 200 for the hospital levy, and credit Account 200-A for per capita due the Imperial Council. Accounts 200 and 200-A are charged as remittances are made to the Imperial Recorder. If the member purchases a P.C.M., no credit is set up for the hospital levy.

ACCOUNT 200-A: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE—IMPERIAL COUNCIL

On January 1st, each Temple owes sixty cents per capita dues to the Imperial Council for all members on the roll at December 31st, preceding. This account is charged at the time of the payment to the Imperial Recorder. Under the cash receipts basis of accounting, the dues are collected and sixty cents thereof credited to this account. For Temple Life Members, past Potentates, and delinquent members, a charge is made to Account 600, and a credit is made to this account at the end of the year to clear up the charges set up at the beginning of the year. All amounts due the Imperial Council are to be carried in this account. Unpaid balances of the installment option on Hospital Levy and the per capita dues would be carried here until paid. The same procedure as outlined under Account 110 and under the caption just preceding should be followed under 200-A.

ACCOUNT 201: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE—OTHER

This account is credited with all amounts payable other than to the Imperial Council, except as specified hereinafter.

ACCOUNT 202: SOCIAL SECURITY TAX WITHHELD

This account should be credited with the amount of taxes withheld and charged as the amounts are paid out for Federal Old Age Benefit tax.

ACCOUNT 203: WITHHOLDING TAX—FEDERAL

This account should be credited with the amount of withholding tax withheld from salaries and charged as payments are made to the Federal Government.

ACCOUNT 204: WITHHOLDING TAX—STATE

ACCOUNT 204-A: WITHHOLDING TAX—MUNICIPAL

These accounts should be credited with the amounts of withholding tax withheld from salaries and charged as payments are made to the State Government or the Municipal Government.

ACCOUNT 205: DUES PAID IN ADVANCE

To this account should be credited all dues paid in advance. They should not be credited to an income account until after the first of the year. To those Recorders who have set up the accounts receivable at the beginning of the year, the dues in advance should be credited to Accounts Receivable—dues, and charged to the dues paid in advance.

ACCOUNT 207: DEFERRED REVENUE

This account will be credited for income received before it is due, from sources other than dues or initiation fees. The credits thus received will be closed out to the appropriate income account at the beginning of the next year. Items which might fall into this account are Temple Magazine advertising and rental income.

ACCOUNT 208: P. C. M. and V. P. S.

All permanent contributing memberships and voluntary permanent subscriptions purchased should be credited to this account, and the account charged as payments are made to the Imperial Recorder.

ACCOUNT 209: HOSPITAL LEVY PAID IN ADVANCE

This is to be handled in the same way as P. C. M.s and V. P. S.s.

ACCOUNT 210: ACCRUED YEAR END EXPENSES

The accrued year end expenses that have not been charged to operations and apply against the next year should all be credited to this account and charged out as the expenses are paid.

ACCOUNT 211: LONG TERM DEBT

A few of the Temples have a long term debt. This should be kept separately from accounts payable.

GROUP III — RESERVES

ACCOUNT 300: DEPRECIATION RESERVE

At the end of the year proper depreciation should be taken on the building and other depreciable assets, and a credit made to this account with a charge being made to the depreciation account as an expense.

ACCOUNT 301: TEMPLE LIFE MEMBERSHIP

This account should be credited with all Life Memberships received during the year, and the total amount of Life Memberships should remain in this account until the member dies, or demits, in which case, the Life Membership is charged out.

ACCOUNT 302: OTHER RESERVES

Into this account should be credited all other reserves that are handled by the Recorder—such as, reserves for Club House, Building Fund, Pilgrimages, etc.

GROUP IV — NET WORTH

ACCOUNT 350: MEMBERS EQUITY

This represents the net worth of the Temple and is the difference between the assets and liabilities except for the special reserves as outlined above.

GROUP V — INCOME

ACCOUNT 400: INITIATION FEES

The amount of initiation fees due the Imperial Council and Hospital Levy should be credited to Account 200 and 200-A, and the balance to Account 400.

ACCOUNT 401: DUES—TEMPLE PORTION

The Temple's share of the annual dues is carried in this account.

ACCOUNT 402: HOSPITAL LEVY

Where Temples do not handle their accounts as outlined under 110 and operate on a cash basis, it will be necessary to maintain Account 402—Hospital Levy. Into this account will be credited the hospital levy received which are due to the Imperial Council. The AFFILIATIONS AND RESTORATIONS will be credited to the Account 401, or 402, as the case may be.

ACCOUNT 403: RENTAL INCOME

Income received from the rent of Temple property is recorded here.

ACCOUNT 404: INVESTMENT INCOME

This account will include interest and dividends received on investments as well as profit or losses on sales of investment.

ACCOUNT 405: MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE

This should include all revenue which cannot be classified in one of the other revenue accounts.

ACCOUNT 406: DONATIONS & CONTRIBUTIONS

This account should be credited with all donations and contributions. If a donation or contribution is made for a designated purpose, then payment should apply against this account.

GROUP VI — FUND RAISING ENTERPRISES

ACCOUNT 500: PILGRIMAGE ACCOUNT

Into this account will go as credits all receipts from any activity in connection with a pilgrimage, and this account should be charged with all expense of any pilgrimage.

ACCOUNT 501: CIRCUS ACCOUNT

This account should be credited with all the receipts from the circus, and expense of the circus should be debited. Because of the manner in which some Temples handle their circus it may be necessary to have a subsidiary ledger which will show all the activities. At the conclusion of the circus this account (501) would show only the net result of the activity. This applies also to other activities of this nature including those listed in Account 504—Club or Restaurant and Account 506—Shrine Magazine.

ACCOUNT 502: FEZ SALES

All receipts from the sale of fezzes should be credited to this account and the fezzes used for sale should be charged to this account and adjusted in the inventories.

ACCOUNT 503: OTHER MERCHANDISE SALES

In some Temples, the Recorder has jewelry for sale. All receipts from sales other than designated in the chart should be credited to this account and the merchandise, as received and paid for, should be charged to this account.

ACCOUNT 504: CLUB OR RESTAURANT

If a Temple maintains a club or a restaurant or a golf course, this account should be credited with all receipts and charged with the expense of all merchandise in connection with the enterprise.

ACCOUNT 505: PROFIT ON SALE OF INVESTMENTS

The actual cost of the investment should be credited to the Investment Account (120 or 121) and the profit credited and loss charged to Account 505.

ACCOUNT 506: SHRINE MAGAZINE

All receipts for advertising should be credited to this account. In some cases, members are charged for subscriptions to the magazines. This also should be credited to this account and the entire expense of getting out the magazines should be charged to the account.

GROUP VII — EXPENSE

ACCOUNT 600: IMPERIAL COUNCIL

Into this account should be charged all the expenses of the Temple with relation to the Imperial Council. The per capita dues, affiliations, restorations, etc. The per capita dues of members exempt from Temple dues because of life membership, etc., should be charged to this account. If the Temple does not handle the account in accordance with the outlined Account 110 or 402, then the amount paid to the Imperial Council for HOSPITAL LEVY should be charged to 600-B.

ACCOUNT 601: ADMINISTRATIVE

Into this account should be charged all the administration expenses as disclosed in 601-A to 1. It is particularly important that a record of 601-A be kept as a separate item.

ACCOUNT 602: BUSINESS SESSION

Into this account should be charged all the expense of the business sessions and if there are any receipts for entertainment, or refreshments, they should be credited to this account. For detail see 602.

ACCOUNT 603: CEREMONIALS

This account should be charged with all the expense of the ceremonials. If there are any receipts from entertainment, or from any other source, then the account should be credited with those receipts. For detail, see Accounts 603.

ACCOUNT 604: ENTERTAINMENT

Under this caption should be shown all items under 604. If there are any receipts, the amount should be credited to this account.

ACCOUNT 605: CHARITY AND FLORAL WELFARE

All contributions to the Hospitals, Masonic Homes, or otherwise, should be charged to this account.

ACCOUNT 606: VISITATIONS AND PILGRIMAGES

This account should be charged with all items shown in 606, and in case there are any receipts, they should be credited to this account.

ACCOUNT 607: UNITS

The expense of all the units including Patrol, Band, etc., should be charged to this account. If there are any receipts they should be credited to the account.

ACCOUNT 608: PROMOTIONAL

This account should be charged with the expense shown under 608 and any other items that have to do with promotional activities.

ACCOUNT 609: PUBLICITY

This account should be charged with all the publicity work, and the Shrine Magazine where advertising is not sold (See Group VI, Account 506). This includes editorial, art work, mailing, notices to newspapers, etc.

ACCOUNT 610: DUES TO ORGANIZATIONS

All dues paid to various organizations by the Temple such as Shrine Association and Directors Association should be charged to this account.

ACCOUNT 613: REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE

This account is to be used by the Temples who own their own building and should be charged with all expenses in maintaining that building.

ACCOUNT 613-A: SALARIES

For the convenience of the Recorder in making up his withholding and social security reports.

CHARTER—SHRINE ASSOCIATION
ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE
MYSTIC SHRINE
IMPERIAL COUNCIL FOR NORTH AMERICA

TO ALL ILLUSTRIOUS NOBLES TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:
KNOW YE, That we, THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL, of the said Illustrious Order,
do hereby authorize and empower the following named Temples.....
to form a Shrine Association for the purpose of holding conventions for
purely social purposes under the title of Association
and comprising the above named Temples. The association may adopt a
constitution and by-laws as it desires, provided the constitution and by-laws
are consistent with the laws of the Imperial Council.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Imperial Council this
day of, 19.....

.....
Imperial Potentate.

Attest:

.....
Imperial Recorder

(SEAL)

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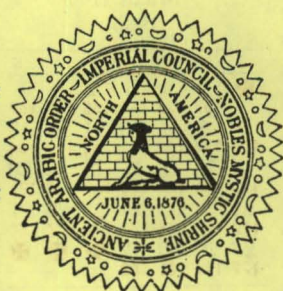
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Ancient Arabic Order
Nobles *of the* Mystic Shrine

1964-1965



1384-1385

Gregorian *and* Mohammedan

CALENDARS



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1964

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Ramadan
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Rabi-ul-Akhar
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MOHAMMEDAN YEARS

Each period of thirty lunar years from the Hegira, or July 15, 622 A. D., constitutes a Cycle. Eleven of these years have a day added at the end of the year, and are shown below by a star.

47th CYCLE

YEAR	DAY OF	COMMENCEMENT	YEAR	DAY OF	COMMENCEMENT
1381	Wednesday	14 June, 1961	*1396	Sunday	4 January, 1976
*1382	Sunday	3 June, 1962	1397	Friday	24 December, 1976
1383	Friday	24 May, 1963	*1398	Tuesday	13 December, 1977
1384	Tuesday	12 May, 1964	1399	Sunday	3 December, 1978
*1385	Monday	3 May, 1965	1400	Thursday	22 November, 1979
1386	Saturday	23 April, 1966	*1401	Monday	10 November, 1980
*1387	Wednesday	12 April, 1967	1402	Saturday	31 October, 1981
1388	Monday	1 April, 1968	1403	Wednesday	20 October, 1982
1389	Friday	21 March, 1969	*1404	Sunday	9 October, 1983
*1390	Tuesday	10 March, 1970	1405	Sunday	30 September, 1984
1391	Sunday	28 February, 1971	*1406	Friday	20 September, 1985
1392	Friday	17 February, 1972	1407	Wednesday	10 September, 1986
*1393	Monday	5 February, 1973	1408	Sunday	30 August, 1987
1394	Saturday	26 January, 1974	*1409	Saturday	19 August, 1988
1395	Wednesday	15 January, 1975	1410	Tuesday	8 August, 1989

The 47th Mohammedan Cycle begins with the first day of the first month, Muharram, 1381, corresponding to June 14th, 1961, A D.

MONTHS	DAYS	MONTHS	DAYS
Muharram	30	Rajab	30
Safar	29	Sha'ban	29
Rabi'ul-Auwal	30	Ramadan	30
Rabi'ul-Akhar	29	Shauwal	29
Jumada-1-Auwal	30	Dhu-1-Qu-dah	30
Jumada-1-Akhar	29	Dhu-1-Hijjah	29
		And in some years	30

Explanation of the Calendar

The Mohammedan year contains twelve months of thirty and twenty-nine days alternately, except leap years (indicated above by a star), when the twelfth month has thirty days. The small numbers (printed in red) from 1 to 365 are the days of the Gregorian year, and are affixed to corresponding days in both calendars.

EXAMPLE

The 10th day of the 10th month, Shauwal, 1384 (marked 134 in red) is the 11th day of February, 1965 (also marked 134 in red).

What day in the Mohammedan year is May 21, 1965?

Finding May 21, 1965 in the Gregorian calendar it is found to be marked 233 in the red figures. The corresponding figure in red on the Mohammedan calendar is found to be the 21st day of the 1st month, Muharram, 1385.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
ANNUAL MEETING OF
SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

A Colorado Corporation

NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK

July 21, 22, 23 and 24, 1964

The Annual Meeting of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, was held in the Grand Ballroom of The New York Hilton Hotel in the City of New York, County and State of New York, on July 21, 22, 23 and 24, 1964, with the opening session being called to order on July 21 at 3:25 P.M., Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close presiding, pursuant to the following notice of Annual Meeting:

SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

(A Colorado Corporation)

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, JUNE 15, 1964

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

*To All Members of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children,
a Colorado Corporation:*

You are hereby notified that the Annual Meeting of Shriners Hospitals For Crippled Children will be held in The New York Hilton Hotel in the City of New York, County and State of New York, on July 21, 22, 23 and 24, 1964.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

At the 1961 Imperial Council Session in Miami, the members by Resolution required the Chairman of the Board of Directors to appoint a Committee to undertake a revision and codification of the By-Laws of the Colorado Corporation. This Committee was appointed and has labored for three years. Its report was mailed to each Representative on or about April 5, 1964. At the same time a copy of the 1963 By-Laws was mailed to each Representative.

The members of this corporation on the Revision Committee have submitted a proposal to amend the By-Laws by repealing the existing provisions and enacting in lieu thereof the provisions set forth in the report of the Revision Committee. Reference is hereby made to the copy of the present By-Laws sent you as that presently existing and to be amended. Reference is hereby made to the copy of the proposed By-Laws heretofore sent you for the By-Laws as the same will read if the proposed amendments are adopted.

By Direction of the Chairman of the Board.

SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN
A Colorado Corporation

/s/ Harold C. Close
Imperial Potentate
(Chairman—Board of Directors)

Attest:

/s/ George M. Saunders
Imperial Recorder
(Secretary)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I would like to now proclaim this Session is open for business to be transacted in both the Colorado and the Iowa Corporations and it will remain open in both Corporations until the Session is adjourned.

The Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee requests that all members of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee of the Colorado Corporation come here to the platform. He is sitting right down here.

If there are no other announcements the meeting is recessed until nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

(The Annual Meeting of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, recessed at 4:20 P.M.)

AFTERNOON SESSION
Wednesday, July 22, 1964
Two Five O'clock P.M.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, if I may have your attention please.

Now, Nobles, you had this calendar with the time schedule and the reason for giving you a time schedule was because I would like to have all Representatives present for some of the important questions that are going to be decided in the Imperial Council. We are running late and in the interest of time and the fact that I think you are all here I am going to suggest and I will eliminate the roll call that was scheduled in order to speed up consideration of legislation.

The first order of business on your calendar scheduled for after lunch today was a report of the Revision Committee. At this time I am pleased to recognize—and this may I say is in regard to the Colorado Corporation only, the By-laws and Code of the Colorado Corporation to be considered first—the Chair recognizes the Chairman of the Revision Committee, Earl Sachse.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, and fellow Representatives. I am pleased to submit the report of your Revision Committee in respect to the Colorado Corporation. All of you received an envelope containing a white copy of the present Code and By-laws—the By-laws of both the Iowa and Colorado Corporations are included in one volume—together with a buff colored copy of the proposed revised By-laws for the Colorado Corporation which is, as you know, the Corporation operating the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. These By-laws were revised at your direction and at this time I would like to introduce the members of the Revision Committee.

Past Potentate of Tangier Temple and a Representative for many years at this Imperial Council, Herbert White.

Past Potentate of Tadmor Temple and Emeritus Representative of this Imperial Council, William Knowlton. Bill is also a member of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee and is sitting down with that Committee.

At this time we want to submit to you this report. In the packet of materials you received you also got the written report of the Committee which gave you the background and what was done and why it was done. As you all know, at an earlier Session of this Imperial Council in 1961 there were some 52, to be exact, amendments to the Iowa and Colorado Corporation By-laws proposed. In the interest of saving time the Representatives at that Session adopted what was known as the Zor Temple resolution which had proposed that the Imperial Potentate then to be elected appoint a Committee to revise and codify and modernize the By-laws of both the Colorado and Iowa Corporations. That Committee was appointed, made a preliminary report at Toronto in 1962, and was continued and the size of the Committee was augmented and continued to operate and reported in 1963. At that time after considerable debate the matter was referred back to the Committee for this Session of the Imperial Council.

I am pleased to submit to you this report on the Colorado Corporation which we believe modernizes, codifies, revises the By-laws of that Corporation in the interest of making them clear, simpler and improving the arrangement so that items may be more readily found in those By-laws and we hope will reflect favorably on the operation of the Colorado Corporation and to the best interest of the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children.

Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of the report in respect to the Colorado Corporation. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: I want to thank you, Chairman Sachse. Let me say if there is no objection I will receive the report and refer it to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee. Do I hear any objection to that procedure?

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Imperial Sir, may I ask one question? Whether or not there are a few changes you are going to make voluntarily from this?

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir and Representatives. In answer to the question from Representative Lou Chackes I might say that there do appear a number of typographical errors, minor errors in numbering and printer's errors which we believe should be corrected before the final printing. However, I did not want to take the time of this Session to go into all those minor details and I hope this Session will authorize that those minor changes be made, those corrections as it were, before the final printing of the By-laws in your volume of the proceedings.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: I ask the question, of course, in the Colorado Corporation there are just a couple of minor ones. In the other one there are some others. I think it might be well to mention them when you present the Iowa Corporation.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: We will be happy to do whatever the Representatives assembled want to do because this is your report. You are the legislative body and it is your responsibility to see that the By-laws of both Corporations are properly adopted and in the finest form possible.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Are there any other questions or any objection to this procedure? If not, the revision of the Colorado Corporation is referred to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee and I am informed that they are prepared to report on that at this time.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Divan and fellow Representatives. We have had this matter in the Committee for several days and we have given it careful consideration and we are now ready to report. (*Reading*)

TO THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL, A.A.O.N.M.S.:

There has been referred to your Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws the report of the Code Revision Committee concerning the adoption of the proposed revision of the By-laws of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, which report has been accepted by the Imperial Council.

The Committee reports that the Report is in proper and legal form and is consistent with the resolution creating the Revisions Committee and defining its duties.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LAWS

MERWYN H. BROWN, *Chairman*

ROBERT H. FOUKE

JOE T. MIZELL

ALFRED J. CAWSE

JACK M. STREIGHT

FORD Q. ELVIDGE

J. EDGAR BOWRON

The report is signed by all the members of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee of the Colorado Corporation. Now at this time I move the adoption of this report. I further move, for the purpose of bringing this proposed revision before the Imperial Council for action, that the proposed revision of the By-laws of the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, be enacted as the By-laws of the Colorado Corporation.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Is that motion seconded?

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: I will second that, Imperial Potentate.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You have heard the motion made and seconded. I would like the opportunity to make a couple of statements to this group. First, you have been assured if this is adopted you will be permitted to bring any amendment that you have or you desire to bring before this Imperial Council in writing. It will be discussed and decided upon here.

Second, during my term of office this year I have had the opportunity of visiting with many of you and many of you have asked me in cases where controversy exists, "We wish we knew where the Imperial Officers stood on certain questions." I know sometimes you think the Imperial Divan is widely divided. I am very pleased to make this statement. I will make this for both Corporations but we are only considering the Colorado Corporation, but the same statement I will make applies to both.

The Imperial Divan has considered the revision of the By-laws and Code and we are unanimously in favor of the adoption of these revisions as they are presented at the present time without amendment. (*Applause*)

NOBLE O. CARLYLE BROCK: Imperial Potentate and Representatives. I am sure that we heartily concur in the statement of our Imperial Potentate. It is my opinion that this is not a cure-all for our situation here and that amendments may be necessary in one or both of these Corporations but I hopefully pray that you will pass this revision in order to get this thing out in the open so that it is more understandable. During my administration I promise you that I will appoint a Committee to investigate the entire Code of both Corporations, the Colorado and the Iowa, and to bring back a report of recommendations for the changes.

With that thought in mind, knowing that it will be studied and we will not be hurriedly presenting amendments without due time to study and observe, I hope that you will pass the revision for the Colorado Corporation and later the Iowa. Thank you, Imperial Sir. (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Does anybody else care to remark on the proposal to adopt the revision in the Colorado Corporation?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Are you ready for the question? Now remember, Nobles, this takes two-thirds of the registered Representatives. All those in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. In the opinion of the Chair there are two-thirds of the Representatives present in favor. As a matter of fact, hearing no Nays and if there is no objection I declare it a unanimous vote. (*Applause*)

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sirs and Representatives. So there can be no misunderstanding in the future I now move that the By-laws of the Colorado Corporation, which we previously had, be repealed now and that the new By-laws become effective immediately. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You have heard the motion. It is seconded. I might comment on that. I have been asked a couple of questions because of amendments that are pending and I want to make this clear. If these revisions are adopted any amendments brought in will apply to the new and not the old and they will be recognized according to whatever paragraph is applicable. The motion now is to repeal the old By-laws and Code of the Colorado Corporation effective immediately. All in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. Again I believe two-thirds of the registered Representatives are in the affirmative.

NOBLE EARL SACHSE: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and fellow Representatives. The unanimous vote for the adoption of the revision of the Colorado Corporation By-laws puts me in mind of what happened in the great State of Pennsylvania ten years ago when the proposed Uniform Commercial Code was submitted to the State Legislature in that State. It was a very voluminous document of some 400-odd pages and replaced all of the existing commercial law in Pennsylvania. It was the first State in which it had been introduced and there too the Legislature adopted it unanimously and I think to this date that Pennsylvania is proud that it was the first State and I hope that you will be equally proud that you have modernized the By-laws of the Colorado Corporation.

Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and Representatives. In order to take care of some

of the matters that our good friend, Representative Lou Chackes, brought up, some he said were very minor in spelling errors and so on, in order to correct that before the final printing I would like to offer this to the Imperial Council as a resolution. (*Reading*)

WHEREAS, the Imperial Council has adopted a complete revision of the By-laws of the Iowa and Colorado Corporations, and

WHEREAS, the utility of these By-laws will be greatly enhanced by a complete and accurate index; and

WHEREAS, minor errors in spelling, punctuation, word forms and numbering may be revealed before final printing,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Revision Committee, with the advice and counsel of the Chairman of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, be directed to prepare a complete index and to exercise the usual responsibilities of a revisor of statutes in correcting spelling, punctuation, word forms, numbering, cross references and arrangement.

Imperial Sir, I move the adoption of this resolution. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the resolution presented and seconded. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Adopted.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: The next order of business is the election of Trustees for Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children to fill the expiring terms of Harvey A. Beffa and Carl A. Rahn, whose terms expire at this meeting. I recognize our Imperial Recorder, George M. Saunders.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir, I move that the following persons be nominated as members of the Board of Trustees of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, each for a three year term; Harvey A. Beffa, Past Imperial Potentate, and Carl A. Rahn. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: You have heard the nominations. Are there other nominations for this position?

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: Move the nominations be closed. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor of closing the nominations say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

Now all in favor of the election of those two Nobles who have been nominated please say, "Aye." Opposed. I declare them elected.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir, by virtue of their offices as Imperial Officers I move the following be nominated and elected to serve one year on the Board of Trustees of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children: Imperial Potentate-elect O. Carlyle Brock, Deputy Imperial Potentate-elect Barney W. Collins, Imperial Chief Rabban-elect Charles E. Merrill, Imperial Treasurer-elect Leonard P. Steuart, Junior Past Imperial Potentate-elect Harold C. Close. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the reading of these names to be elected as members of the Board of Trustees by virtue of their office.

NOBLE JOHN VESEY: I move you that the rules be suspended and that they be elected by acclamation. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Moved and seconded that the rules be suspended and the Nobles whose names were read be elected by acclamation. Is there any question? All in favor. Opposed. They are elected.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: I move that the following persons be elected Directors of the Colorado Corporation, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children for the ensuing term, all elect: Imperial Potentate O. Carlyle Brock, Deputy Imperial Potentate Barney W. Collins, Imperial Chief Rabban Charles E. Merrill, Imperial Assistant Rabban Orville F. Rush, Imperial High Priest and Prophet Thomas F. Seay, Imperial Oriental Guide Chester A. Hogan, Imperial Treasurer Leonard P. Steuart, Imperial Recorder George M. Saunders, Imperial First Ceremonial Master J. Worth Baker, Imperial Second Ceremonial Master Edgar L. Turner, Imperial Marshal Aubrey G. Graham, Imperial Captain of the Guard C. P. McGregor, Imperial Outer Guard C. Victor Thornton, Junior Past Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close, and the Chairman of the Board of Trustees Harold Lloyd.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard these names read for election as Directors of the Colorado Corporation. (*Motion seconded*)

NOBLE HOWARD COWAN: Imperial Sir, I move the nominations be closed (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: If you are in favor of the nominations being closed say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

If you are in favor of the names as read as Directors of the Colorado Corporation say, "Aye." Opposed. They are elected.

Now next is the election of the Officers of the Colorado Corporation.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir, I move that the following persons be nominated to serve as Officers of the Colorado Corporation as follows: Chairman of the Board, O. Carlyle Brock; President of the Corporation, Harold Lloyd; First Vice-President, Barney W. Collins; Second Vice-President, Charles E. Merrill; Treasurer, Leonard P. Steuart; Secretary, George M. Saunders; Assistant Secretary, Orville F. Rush.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you heard these names nominated as Officers for the Colorado Corporation. What is your pleasure?

NOBLE JOHN VESEY: I move that the report be accepted and that they all be elected by acclamation. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Moved that the report be accepted and all be elected by acclamation. Is there objection? All in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. They are so elected.

Is there any other business at this time to come before the Colorado Corporation? I recognize the Potentate of Murat Temple, Alex M. Clark.

NOBLE ALEX M. CLARK: Imperial Sir, Imperial Officers and fellow Representatives. I have a resolution which I should like to read to you. (*Reading*)

RESOLVED, that pursuant to the recommendation contained in the Annual Report of the Imperial Potentate to this Session for the employment of a competent, trained hospital executive as Director of the Hospitals, it is the consensus of this meeting that this recommendation should be approved and that the incoming Officers proceed with all reasonable dispatch to accomplish this result.

Imperial Sir, at this time I move you, Sir, the adoption of this resolution. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you heard the resolution. It has been moved and seconded. Will you remark?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All those in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. So ordered.

Is there any other business to come before the Colorado Corporation at this time?

This meeting of the Representatives will be recessed until ten o'clock tomorrow morning. The Imperial Potentate-elect's meeting is at nine o'clock. The official meeting of the Representatives will be at ten o'clock.

(The Annual Meeting of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, recessed at 4:05 P.M.)

MORNING SESSION

Thursday, July 23, 1964
Ten Ten O'clock A.M.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, come to order please. I am going to recognize Imperial Sir Orville Rush for a resolution. Orville, do you have a resolution you want to present?

NOBLE ORVILLE F. RUSH: Imperial Sir, I have a proposed resolution in connection with Article 4, Section 504.2 of the By-laws of the Colorado Corporation. Article 4 is entitled Membership and Section 504.2 is entitled Termination of Membership. It reads as follows: (*Reading*)

Termination of Membership. Membership of any Noble in this corporation shall be terminated for failure to attend the annual meetings, by majority vote of the members at the annual meeting of this corporation.

Now prior to introducing this resolution I should like to call on General Counsel Stanley Garrity for explanatory purposes.

NOBLE STANLEY GARRITY: Imperial Sir and Representatives. Back over the years at each annual meeting members were elected to the Colorado Corporation, the membership of the Colorado Corporation. The membership of the Iowa Corporation, the Imperial Council, is the elected Representatives each year but over the years there has been an accumulation of members and there is respectable legal authority and legal opinion to the effect that even though some Noble may have served as a Representative many years ago and hasn't been to the Imperial Council for many

years that he is still a member of the Colorado Corporation. This poses a real problem in sending them notices, a real problem.

So it was thrashed out in the Revision Committee as to how this could be handled. It was concluded that the most reasonable and proper way would be for the body itself to provide a method of terminating memberships that were not up-to-date. How far back they should go is a matter for decision. We have a record of the attendance, the Imperial Recorder has a record of the attendance to the Chicago meeting and of course at this meeting. Those are the only two records of attendance which are in existence. This proposed resolution is based upon those facts. If there are any questions about any of it I would be glad to answer it but I believe these are sufficient facts.

NOBLE LOUIS CHACKES: What is the resolution?

NOBLE STANLEY GARRITY: He hasn't given it to you but here it is.

NOBLE ORVILLE F. RUSH: I might mention that I have discussed this resolution individually with members of the Imperial Divan and they are members of the Board of Directors of the Colorado Corporation. This is the resolution. (*Reading*)

Resolved, that pursuant to the provisions of Section 504.2 of the By-laws of the Colorado Corporation, the Membership of all Nobles who have failed to attend any annual session since August 1, 1962 is hereby terminated. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you understand the proposal. Will you comment?

VOICES: Question! Question!

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All in favor of the resolution please say, "Aye." Opposed. It is carried.

Nobles, I call for the report of our Imperial Treasurer at this time.

NOBLE LEONARD P. STEUART: Imperial Sir and Nobles, the report on the various institutions which have your money is in the annual report and has been mailed to each one of you for your consideration.

Nobles, I would like to make a motion that as this report has been audited and approved I make the motion that my report be approved. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion on the adoption of the Imperial Treasurer's report. All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

I call on the Secretary for his report.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: Imperial Sir and Representatives. The report of the Secretary has been published in the book of reports, is in the hands of each member of the Imperial Council, has been audited, and I move the adoption of the report. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: All those in favor of adopting the Secretary's report please say, "Aye." Opposed. Adopted.

Nobles, it is close to twelve o'clock and I am going to recess this meeting now.

(The Annual Meeting of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, recessed at 11:55 A.M.)

MORNING SESSION

Friday, July 24, 1964

Nine O'clock A.M.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, if we can come to order, please.

Nobles, the next order of business is the report of the President of the Colorado Corporation, Chairman of the Board of Trustees Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. I am pleased to present Past Imperial Potentate Harold Lloyd.

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs, Representatives to this Imperial Council Session. (*Reading*)

A year ago in Chicago you honored me by electing me President of your charitable corporations. At that time I was in Europe on personal business and the news of your action reached me by telephone in Paris at 2:00 A.M. To say I was surprised would be putting it mildly. I was, of course, fully cognizant of the vast honor you had conferred upon me. Through my years of service with you in this endeavor, I was also aware of the tremendous load being transferred to my shoulders.

After considerable deliberation, I sent a telegram of acceptance through my close personal friend, Past Imperial Potentate William H. Woodfield, Jr. I then contacted Vice-President Imperial Sir O. Carlyle Brock, Secretary George M. Saunders, our then Imperial Potentate-elect Harold C. Close, and our Vice Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Past Imperial Potentate Harvey A. Beffa. They all assured me that we were so organized that the details could be handled by them until my return. I am happy to advise you that the work has been kept current and I am grateful to these Imperial Sirs for their help, and to this Body for the confidence placed in me. I extend to all my heartfelt thanks.

Mid 1963 to mid 1964 is another year in which our hospitals operated in a highly efficient manner. We are carrying on the multitude of services necessary for the children in accordance with the highest of medical standards—ministering daily to an average of 1,069 bed patients. We want you to know, however, that the operation of our hospitals continues to become more complex. Personnel problems and a shortage of qualified professional and administrative workers continue to trouble us. However, I am pleased to report that the high standards set by our predecessors and the medical care and other necessary treatments for our patients are, without doubt, the finest that can be obtained. In addition to medical care, our trained personnel minister to the minds of the little ones and encourage them to look beyond their present difficulties in anticipation of the day when they can walk and run and play.

During this period 1963-64, the Chief Surgeons performed over 10,000 surgical procedures to improve the conditions of our little patients. Through the combined efforts and teamwork of our surgeons, administrators, medical staff and 1500 employees, 5,747 children were discharged as either cured or materially helped. The average stay of our patients is steadily being reduced due to the advancements made by our medical staff, until the present time when it is 72 days.

It is a real thrill for me to visit our hospitals and to personally view the work that is being accomplished in the treatment of needy crippled children. We rejoice in what might be termed miracles in your name.

1963 also saw the actual beginning of our Burns Institutes. The first of these Institutes opened in Galveston, Texas on November 1, 1963. This was followed by the Cincinnati Unit on February 1, 1964, and the Boston Unit on April 1, 1964. By July 1st we had treated over 72 burns patients. The work of our Burns Center Committee, under the exceptionally able leadership of its Chairman, Imperial Sir Harvey A. Beffa has progressed splendidly since our last Session. Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close and Deputy Imperial Potentate O. Carlyle Brock have worked unceasingly in their efforts to further this new venture of ours. The work of organizing, staffing and building of our Burns Institutes is well under way. Construction has already begun on the Galveston Unit and our own buildings in Cincinnati and Boston will soon follow. While these hospitals are being built, we shall continue with burns therapy in facilities leased from the university hospitals at these three locations.

The rehabilitating, rebuilding and replacing of our orthopedic hospitals continues. The Building Committee, with its excellent Chairman, Past Imperial Potentate George A. Mattison, Jr., is carefully supervising the rehabilitation of our present hospitals, construction of replacement hospital buildings and the building of the three new Burns Institutes. Plans for the construction of the new replacement hospital for the Honolulu Unit will soon be completed. This will fill a long-felt need in these islands in the Pacific. The demands upon our Building Committee grow daily, and the Committee deserves great praise from you for the diligent and dedicated way it is carrying on, and through you, Nobles, my thanks to George A. Mattison, Jr., O. Carlyle Brock, J. Worth Baker, Edgar L. Turner, Walter G. Seeger, George M. Klepper and Carl A. Rahn.

I have participated in meetings with members of the Surgical Advisory Board and many of the Chief Surgeons of our hospitals; also with those who direct the work of the Medical Records Department, and I am glad to report that we have completed the coding of the backlog of all medical records. Clinical research statistical studies are currently being made by our Chief Surgeons. The Medical Records Committee, with Past Imperial Potentate Marshall M. Porter as Chairman, together with the Surgical Advisory Board, is developing a format or criteria for the handling of requests for research studies which are available from our records. This work reflects a field of service contributed by Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children which will benefit the entire medical profession and ultimately be a great source of credit to all Shrinedom.

It is with regret that we announce the retirement from the Surgical Advisory Board of Chairman Dr. Guy A. Caldwell. His chairmanship of this committee has been a most fruitful and exemplary one. He is succeeded by Dr. Carroll B. Larson who has been associated with him for many years on this Board. Dr. Larson is well qualified and experienced and will make a great contribution to the fine work being done by this Advisory Board. We are indeed fortunate to have him as our new chairman. Dr. Caldwell, I am happy to report, will remain with us in a consulting capacity.

The newly-selected replacements for the retiring members of the Surgical Advisory Board are Dr. Frank E. Stinchfield, Dr. Charles F. Gregory and Dr. Robert

Salter. They join with Dr. Burr H. Curtis and Dr. A. W. Farmer in offering their talents to help cope with the ever-changing problems we face in maintaining the best care for crippled children. These dedicated and noted surgeons serve without pay and perform magnificent work for us. In the course of their contact with our various hospital Units, our little patients receive consultation service that could not be purchased at any price.

I wonder at times if those of you who are not intimately associated with our Shriners Hospitals realize the unique and complex problems that exist not only in the medical and administrative operation of our hospitals, but in the financial management as well. Ours is a multi-million dollar organization . . . doing business in 20 different locations . . . in three different countries . . . with an annual operating budget of approximately ten million dollars, and a construction and rehabilitation budget of approximately \$13,500,000. We have personnel situations not found in other types of big business, such as the recruiting and keeping of the most highly skilled technical personnel and the usual questions of wage scales and benefits, all of which are an integral part of providing the finest of highly specialized medical and professional care.

Our funds are invested in approximately 150 banks throughout North America. The market value of our securities at December 31st, 1963 exceeded 250 millions of dollars. With the new investment provisions adopted at our last meeting, the duties of the Investment Committee have expanded immeasurably. This committee meets at least 4 times during the year and keeps a close surveillance on our investment portfolio. It is phenomenal to look back fifteen years and to realize how our funds have increased. At that time the market value of our security investments was forty-three million dollars, and today it exceeds 250 millions of dollars. Leonard P. Steuart, Imperial Treasurer, and his committee . . . Walter G. Seeger, Thomas F. Seay, Chester A. Hogan, William H. Latimer, Jr., George M. Klepper and Cliff Mortensen . . . are the virtual watchdogs of our funds.

As a result of the fine work done by so many, our income has more than kept pace with our expenses, and we have been able to put aside funds annually to assure the continuance of our great philanthropy. With the steady increase in the cost of operating our hospitals, plus our new venture into the field of caring for burns patients and our research in that endeavor, our need for additional funds continues. My thanks go to all those members and non-members alike who have remembered Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children so generously in their bequests. The Wills, Bequests & Gifts Committee continues to function to the great satisfaction of all. Its new Chairman, Past Imperial Potentate Walter C. Guy, will head this committee as efficiently, I am sure, as he did the office of Executive Secretary. And to the other members of this committee, William H. Woodfield, Jr., Rennie L. Arnold, Thomas W. Melham, George B. Rowell, Edwin F. Baertschi and Allan C. Mallquist, my thanks for their continued efforts and dedication to this work.

Another important source of income not only provides necessary funds to carry on our work, but secures for us the best of public relations. The football games, the circuses, the horse shows, the dances, basketball games, baseball games and many other types of promotions have brought into our coffers, six million dollars in the last five years. Football games alone have brought in \$4,400,000 since 1959. It is impossible for me to express the appreciation that has been earned by the efforts of William J. Coffman, East-West Football Game; Clarence Beeson, Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas; Elmer P. Bromley, California North-South Game; M. G. Blessing-

ham, Oyster Bowl Game; Robert C. Russell, Shrine Bowl of Nebraska; Leon A. Blimline, Pretzel Bowl; Herbert L. Mount, Mid-West Shrine Game; and William C. Brown, Florida North-South Game, and there are many others. These fine Nobles have sparked the efforts of thousands so that our theme "Strong Legs run so that weak legs can walk" offers pleasure to the public in their attendance at our games, and funds to Shriners Hospitals to assist in carrying on our work. This also applies to those who have worked in the circuses, the Temples, the Shrine Clubs, and the ladies organizations that spread the good name of the Shrine throughout North America and the world. The man in the red fez is very much in evidence in every hamlet and city of North America.

A very comprehensive report of our Imperial Auditor, Past Potentate Arthur C. Upleger, has been printed and furnished each of you, and fully reflects the financial condition of the corporation operating our hospitals. There you will find the assets, the trust funds, the income and expenditures, and reference is hereby made to this report for detailed information concerning the financial status of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children.

I want to express thanks to Imperial Potentate Harold C. Close for his devotion and untiring efforts this past year in behalf of our benevolent work. I also wish to express my sincere appreciation to my revered associates on the Board of Trustees . . . our Imperial Potentate, just mentioned; Deputy Imperial Potentate O. Carlyle Brock; Imperial Chief Rabban Barney W. Collins; Immediate Past Imperial Potentate George M. Klepper; and Imperial Treasurer Leonard P. Steuart—who serve on the Board of Trustees by virtue of their offices along with the regularly elected members, Harvey A. Beffa, Vice Chairman; Walter G. Seeger; Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr.; Carl A. Rahn; George A. Mattison, Jr.; and Marshall M. Porter, for the exemplary, efficient, knowledgeable and dedicated manner that they are serving our great philanthropy through their efforts and experience on your Board of Trustees. Then I would like to thank our Secretary, George M. Saunders whose service and advice rendered to me during the past year have been invaluable; also his assistant, Charles W. Marshall, and his staff, for the outstanding work being done in the Central Office on behalf of all of Shrinedom. Also, my gratitude to our General Counsel, Stanley Garrity, and his staff for the splendid and efficient way they are functioning. I would also like to thank the members of the Local Boards of Governors who are constantly working in our behalf; our Administrator, Miss Eleanor Baird who directs our hospitals in such an efficient manner, and our Auditor, Arthur C. Upleger, for the thorough way he has been handling his department through the years. And, finally, I would express appreciation to you, the Representatives to this Imperial Council Session, and through you to the wearers of the red fez everywhere, for your support of our hospitals, and to all who have helped to make the past year one of great success for this wonderful philanthropy for crippled children which we are privileged to engage in. To each of you, my gratitude for the privilege of serving. Thank you. (*Applause*)

And now, Nobles, it is sort of traditional at this time to receive donations and gifts, contributions, if there are any, and if there is no objection I would like to do it in the style that our beloved Galloway Calhoun, my predecessor in this office conducted it. He did it in what he called a good old camp meeting style. If there are contributions will the Nobles come forward. If there is a microphone where the Nobles can give their names that will be very helpful. I want you to know I am just turning forty—of course, I am taking my time about it—and I do forget names.

NOBLE ORVILLE F. RUSH: Imperial Sir Harold. For the fifth consecutive year I am gratified to present another donation to the Hospitals from a dedicated organization, the Association of Shrine Oriental Bands of North America, and this year the donation is \$5,884.96. The checks are here, Sir.

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you, Imperial Sir Orville Rush. *(Applause)*

NOBLE RALPH K. FRANGIONI: Imperial Sir, as Potentate of Abou Saad Temple in the Canal Zone it is my pleasure and privilege to present from the outpost of Shrinedom in the Caribbean, the great little Shrine Club in Puerto Rico, a check for \$1,000 which is customary, and I want to add to it a check for \$2,000 from the Temple in the Canal Zone. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: I think that is splendid. I certainly hope you keep that up, Sir.

NOBLE JEWEL BOONE: Imperial Sir, I am Potentate of Abba Temple. We bring you greetings from the Deep South where the Gulf of Mexico meets Mobile Bay. In behalf of the membership of Abba Temple I wish to present a photostatic copy of a check for \$1,000. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you also.

NOBLE E. RAYMOND ARN: I am Potentate of Antioch Temple, Dayton, Ohio. Imperial Sir and Imperial Sirs. I present to you a facsimile of a check presented to the Lexington Unit in the amount of \$35,254 representing the proceeds of the 1963 horse show, the greatest horse show in Shrinedom which so far has totaled over \$343,000 for the crippled children. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: That is magnificent, wonderful.

NOBLE MICHEL CAPLAN: Imperial Sir, I am Mike Caplan, Recorder of Jerusalem Temple. First, I want to thank our Potentate, Earl Smith, for the pleasure he has given me to submit this report of contributions made directly to the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children at Shreveport through our Temple, as well as contributions I am delivering today, for the fiscal year ending June 1, 1964. Total contributions sent to our Hospital in Shreveport, Louisiana, through the Recorder's Office, for the fiscal year ending June 1, 1964 totaled \$6,094.01. In addition I present to you checks and auditor's reports of contributions made through our Baton Rouge Shrine Circus, Evangeline Shrine Circus and Jerusalem Temple Shrine Circus, amounting to \$25,716.42. This makes a total of contributions made by Jerusalem Temple for the fiscal year of \$31,810.43.

With this I assure you it is a pleasure to present this report and greetings and best wishes from the Divan and the 5,500 Nobles of Jerusalem Temple. This report is respectfully submitted by Michel Caplan, Recorder, and attested by Earl H. Smith, Illustrious Potentate. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you.

NOBLE JOHN A. PETERSON: Imperial Sir, I am John Peterson, Past Potentate of Sphinx Temple. It has been my privilege to do a little bit for the Shrine Hospitals. Being in the investment business I have also spoken to many of my customers about ours wills and testaments.

Here is a dear old gentleman who passed away on December 23, a bachelor, a member of no fraternity, and I doubt if he had ever been out of the State of Connecticut. In talking with him I hoped he would do a wonderful job for us but there are many other charities in Connecticut. However, when the will was opened I had a surprise for he has left us not only \$5,000 but an opportunity to possibly share in the residue, but that has to wait.

I have the \$5,000 but, however, the Judge of Probate did ask that I bring back a receipt signed by the Imperial Treasurer, so will you see that I get it? (*Laughter and applause*)

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Certainly. We will recess for that, if necessary. (*Laughter*)

NOBLE JACK B. LEE: Imperial Sir, I am Jack Lee, Potentate of Alzafar Temple. On behalf of the Officers and members and myself I am proud to present for the Galveston Shrine Institute for Burns a check in the amount of \$4,000 representing a proportion of the proceeds from our second annual charity horse show in San Antonio. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you very much.

NOBLE MELVIN T. BLASSINGHAM: Imperial Sir, I am Melvin T. Blassingham, Chairman of the Oyster Bowl Game at Norfolk, Virginia. This game is sponsored annually by Khedive Temple, strictly a college game with teams such as the Naval Academy, Syracuse, Duke University. It is with a great deal of pleasure that I present to you a photostatic copy of a check for \$85,000 for the 1963 game on behalf of our Illustrious Potentate and the Nobility of Khedive Temple and the citizens of Tidewater, Virginia. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: That is just splendid. Wonderful.

NOBLE W. FLEMING TALMAN: Imperial Sir, I am Potentate of Oasis Temple, Charlotte, North Carolina, representing the great Temples of Omar, Hejaz, Sudan and Oasis. On behalf of the Shrine Bowl Game of the Carolinas I proudly present to you, Sir, a check in the amount of \$232,000. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: That is wonderful. Carry on.

NOBLE W. FLEMING TALMAN: That makes a total of over \$2 million that we have presented in behalf of the Shrine Hospitals. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: We are surely indebted to the Carolina Game. It is magnificent, no question about that.

NOBLE WILLIAM C. VAUGHN: Imperial Sir, Imperial Sirs and Representatives. I am W. C. Vaughn, Potentate of Kazim Temple that represents all the fine Shriners that live down in the mountains of Virginia. I am happy to give you a copy of our report and check totaling \$39,669.50. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you, Sir, thank you very much.

NOBLE WALTER R. CASTRO, JR.: Imperial Sir, I am Walter Castro, Past Potentate of Islam Temple, San Francisco. I take pleasure in presenting this check in the amount of \$250,508.36 as the receipts of our 39th annual East-West Game in San Francisco. This brings our total of contributions to the Shrine Hospitals for Crippled Children in the amount of \$4½ million. (*Applause*)

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you and many thanks to Bill Coffman too. Bill has been in that particular endeavor for many years and it really is an outstanding public relations getter along with the rest of all of these who do so much for us to give recognition to what we are doing in this great organization.

NOBLE JOHN V. LONGBERRY: Imperial Sir, I am Potentate of Zenobia Temple. We are happy to present you with a check for \$4,000 for the Crippled Childrens Hospitals. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you, Sir.

NOBLE VERNON A. WEBSTER: Imperial Sir, I am Potentate of Isis Temple, Salina, Kansas. I present a contribution of \$6,453.96. This makes a total of \$49,674.13 which Isis Temple in Salina, Kansas, has contributed to the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children from its circus activities. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: We say Amen.

NOBLE GEORGE L. MARKLEY: Imperial Sir, I am George Markley, Potentate of Rajah Temple. It is a pleasure to present the proceeds from the 13th Annual Pretzel Bowl Game in the amount of \$26,000. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Wonderful, thank you.

NOBLE BILL E. BARNETT: Imperial Sir, I am Potentate of El Hasa Temple, Ashland, Kentucky. I deem it a privilege to present to you \$1,500 for the Shriners Hospitals Crippled Children Hospital in Lexington from our Uniformed Units. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Yes, Sir, we are grateful.

NOBLE EDWARD W. BROCKMAN, JR.: Imperial Sir, I am Potentate of Sahara Temple. This is the fourth year that Sahara Temple has been privileged to bring a contribution from Noble Harold Seabrook and his wife Catherine. I am happy to present a check in their behalf for \$1,000. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you, Sir.

NOBLE SEYMOUR C. STERLING: Imperial Sir, as Potentate of Tehran Temple I am happy to present a check on behalf of Tehran Temple for \$1,000. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you very much, Sir.

NOBLE WILLIAM F. KUNOLD: Imperial Sir, I would like to present Robert Stephens, Illustrious Potentate of Sesostri Temple, Lincoln, Nebraska; Earl Baldwin, Illustrious Potentate of Tehama Temple, Hastings, Nebraska. I am Bill Kunold, Potentate of Tangier Temple of Omaha, Nebraska.

Five years ago the three Temples organized the Shrine Football Committee. On this Committee we each have representatives. In our case we had one Representative who was one of the original organizers and he has worked diligently in behalf of the football games. In May the Black Camel knelt at his door. It is the desire of the three Temples of Nebraska that our contribution of money that was raised at the last football game of \$58,000 be made in memory of Blue Howell. This brings a total contribution from the Nebraska Football Game to \$303,128.68. On Saturday,

August 22, we will have another game and we hope we can present you with a much larger check. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you. Nebraska is doing magnificently also.

NOBLE THOMAS W. McDOWELL: Imperial Sir, I am Chief Rabban of Kerbela Temple, Knoxville, Tennessee. We are happy to announce that our 15th Annual Shrine Paper Sale was a huge success again. We raised \$85,382.51 on the third Sunday in May by selling newspapers from house to house. If you don't mind, Sir, these checks will be presented to the Chairman of the Lexington Unit and Greenville Unit at our Ceremonial in Morristown, Tennessee, on September 12. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you, Sir, and we wish you more success.

NOBLE ELMER P. BROMLEY: Imperial Sir Harold, I am Elmer Bromley, Past Potentate of Al Malaikah Temple. I am happy to report the net receipts of our 12th Annual North-South Game were deposited in the endowment funds for the Los Angeles Hospital and total \$60,345.86. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Very nice. They really have a great game out there in California if you are ever around there to see it. Their pageantry to start with is just beautiful.

NOBLE ROBERT A. PHELPS: Imperial Sir, I am High Priest and Prophet of Boumi Temple, Baltimore. I am pleased to submit to you, Sir, an auditor's report for the grand total of 1963-64, the last check of which is in the mail to you for our baseball game, \$7,000. The total for the year is \$26,289.11. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you, Sir, thank you very much. Now, last but not least.

NOBLE C. EDGAR PRATT: I am Edgar Pratt, Potentate of Nemesis Temple, one of the smallest Temples in all Shrinedom yet one which has been honored by the Imperial Board of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. Last year a client of our firm in Parkersburg became involved with the Tax Commissioner whether certain funds were taxable. My firm successfully represented them and we sent them a bill for \$500 for services rendered, their check to be made to the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. They in turn sent us a check for \$6,143 payable to the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children. This plus other donations I am proud to present you a check from Nemesis Temple for \$15,143. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Thank you.

I suppose in closing this camp meeting we should say, "Praise be to Allah."

VOICE: Amen!

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: To all of these Nobles Shrinedom is most grateful. We are fortunate to have these men so dedicated in working in our behalf.

Now we have another report to make which is our new venture and, of course, something that is going to be magnificent for all of Shrinedom also because I think it is a field that just hasn't been explored. At this time I recognize Past Imperial Potentate Harvey A. Beffa, Chairman of our Burns Institutes. *(Applause)*

NOBLE HARVEY A. BEFFA: Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

Imperial Potentate, Imperial Sirs and members of this Imperial Council. It is indeed a privilege and a happy one, I should say, to present to you a progress report of your Burns Institutes Committee. I will report on them individually in a condensed form.

Your Galveston Unit. The interim operation began on November 1, 1963, with a budget for the fiscal year of \$252,950. As of July 7, 1963, 50 patients had been admitted, 36 had been discharged, unfortunately 8 have gone to their reward, and 6 are in the hospital at this time. Expenditures through April 30 totaled \$95,935, an average for the eight months' period of approximately \$16,000 per month. This is below the anticipated cost of \$21,000 a month for this interim operation. Attached to this report is the financial statement indicating the detail for these figures I have just referred to.

The staff presently headed by Dr. Curtis Artz, Shrine Professor of Surgery, totals six.

The building program under the efficient operation of the Chairman of our Building Committee, Imperial Sir George Mattison, Jr., is progressing quite satisfactorily under his leadership. The building program began with ground breaking ceremonies on June 23, 1964, when our Imperial Potentate was there and a delightful program and much publicity came from this ground breaking ceremony. The pilings and foundations are now under construction and should be completed by the 1st of August—and it will be completed by the 1st of August, I believe, George. It is completed now. The general contract has been let for the superstructure and the contractor will move in and is moving in now and this superstructure construction is anticipated to be completed in 420 days. If you add that up we hope that we will have the job completed and ready to operate in the first Burns Institute in the United States, thanks to the Shrine, by October of 1965. (*Applause*)

The development of a dedicated staff in this great burns therapy work is now progressing and I am sure when this building is ready to open its doors and that Shrine flag waves on the top of it saying that this is ours, that this dedicated staff will move in to perform its work for God and humanity.

The Cincinnati Unit. The interim operation of the Cincinnati Unit of the Shriners Institutes for Burns began on February 1, 1964, with a fiscal year budget of \$248,765. The burns service interim operation is progressing satisfactorily under the direction of Dr. Bruce MacMillan, Shrine Professor of Surgery, and the local Board of Governors with Gene Muhlhauser as Chairman. Since the opening of this interim service 16 patients have been admitted. Unfortunately 2 have gone to their reward. As of this report there are 5 patients in the hospital. The Unit is operating within its anticipated budget with expenditures totaling \$42,360 for the four months' period ending May 31, 1964. The estimated budget for that period was \$82,400 so we are operating, obviously of course, below the anticipated budget. Obviously as we add to the staff then, of course, the expenditures likewise will accelerate.

The weekly reports from the Cincinnati service show a very active and keen interest as demonstrated by Dr. MacMillan and others of his staff and that fine local Board.

The building project schedule calls for completion of definitive drawings as of August 15, 1964; preparation of working drawings by March 1, 1965; awarding of general contract by April 15, 1965; and completion of that structure, which will be

number two in North America, by November 1, 1966, approximately one year behind the Galveston Unit. And incidentally, Nobles, we are right on the target of this schedule as prepared months ago when you authorized this great work in 1962 in Toronto.

A request has been made and approved to hold a symbolic ground breaking ceremony in Cincinnati at the site of this institution in September of 1964 during the Great Lakes Shrine Association meeting in that great City of Cincinnati.

The Boston Unit. Interim operation began in conjunction with the Massachusetts General Hospital on April 1, 1964. The fiscal year budget is \$248,625. The Board of Governors has been selected with Past Imperial Potentate Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., as its Chairman. The number of patients treated since April 1, 1964, totals 6.

The research projects in this Institute are going forward, namely the surgical infection project which entails the building of sterile rooms and beds, and the automatic monitoring device for patients.

The Boston Unit is currently in the schematic planning with the architects and medical advisors of the Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School who are affiliated, and no date for completion at this time has been made. However, all the preliminaries, as have been necessary to be done in Galveston and Cincinnati, are now progressing satisfactorily at the Boston Institute for Burns.

In conclusion the members of the Burns Institutes Committee deeply appreciate, deeply so, the continued interest of the Nobility in the work of this Committee. Ideas and suggestions continue to flow into the Committee relative to the operation of the currently authorized Units and the location of future Units. As of now the plan is to complete construction of these three authorized Units and place them in operation before giving consideration to additional locations. The burns work is of a pioneering nature and it is imperative that the initial effort be completed successfully before additional projects be undertaken. The Committee does, however, continue to welcome most heartily recommendations for future consideration and hopes and trusts that the enthusiasm today of the Nobility of North America will continue and accelerate in its enthusiasm, encouraging us in the success of this the great challenge that the Shrine has accepted in burns therapy and good will for these unfortunate victims.

Imperial Sir, this report is signed by the entire Committee. We recommend its adoption. Thank you, Nobles. (*Motion seconded*) (*Applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you heard the report of the Chairman of the Burns Committee. The motion is before you to adopt his report. All in favor please say, "Aye." Opposed. Adopted.

NOBLE HAROLD LLOYD: Imperial Sir, I would like to move the approval of the report of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees. (*Motion seconded*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Moved and seconded that the report of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees be approved. All those in favor please signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. It is approved.

I want to make one statement at this time. This is in relation to one of the recommendations in my annual report which was in reference to increasing the number of the Board of Trustees elected for three year terms from seven to ten. Under date

of February 1, 1962—now I want you to know this goes back two and one-half years—I had occasion to send a letter to the members of the Imperial Divan pointing out—and our Chairman of the Hospital Board did mention this to you in his report—that this is a multimillion dollar business.

Two and one-half years ago I sent a letter to the members of the Imperial Divan indicating that in one case we had one member of the Board of Trustees serving on nine Committees and Chairman of six. We had another serving on six and Chairman of three. Another member was serving on eight Committees and Chairman of three Committees. This is only because of the lack of personnel. This is the reason I brought this recommendation in.

There are other reasons I want to mention to you. Sometimes we have had members on our Board—and I have seen them during my years of service in the Shrine—who for various reasons are not able to act. We had one member—and the pour soul is gone and certainly I revere his memory—who had to come to these meetings with a nurse. He was not able to travel alone.

Another reason I brought this before you at this time is because I am not eligible to be elected to such an office. I have no personal desire in this respect.

The other reason I brought it before you was that I don't feel that these jobs should have an active campaign for them. This is the reason I brought these things before you.

However, in order to expedite I want to say to you if there is no objection it is perfectly agreeable to this Imperial Potentate to have this matter referred to the Committee which the incoming Imperial Potentate indicated that he would appoint for consideration of amendments to the By-laws. If there is no objection it will be handled that way.

Now I understand there is a budget report from the Chairman of the Budget Committee in the Colorado Corporation and he is now recognized.

NOBLE ROBERT CARDINER WILSON, JR.: Imperial Sir and Nobles. The Budget Committee report for the Colorado Corporation. As has been stated, the time is getting late. I have plenty of figures if you want me to read them but these are the main headings.

The total budget is \$23,109,339.90 which is comprised of the following items. Operating expenses of your Hospitals, \$9,631,286.05; building operations, \$13,478,053.85, which is comprised of \$10 million earlier appropriated for your three Burns Institutes and the difference being renovations and so forth.

The total of \$9,631,286.05 is comprised of five items. The first is administration expenses for the Colorado Corporation to the tune of \$869,600. Three items with reference to your Burns Centers, \$252,950 for Galveston, \$247,250 budget for Cincinnati, and \$248,625 for Boston, and an operating budget for 17 orthopedic hospitals of \$8,012,861.05. That makes up the total of \$9,631,286.05.

I say again, the total—and you may want to tell some of the donors back home—the total budget for the Colorado Corporation is \$23,109,339.90. And I hope in view of earlier criticism that I haven't talked too loud. (*Laughter and applause*)

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: Nobles, you have heard the motion to adopt the

report of the Budget Committee. (*Motion seconded*) Will you remark? All in favor please signify by saying, "Aye." Opposed. Adopted.

NOBLE MERWYN H. BROWN: Imperial Sir and Representatives. (*Reading*)

I move you, sir, that all of the acts and transactions of the Imperial Officers, the Board of Directors, Board of Trustees and others, for the Colorado Corporation for the past year and at this session be ratified and approved.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE CLOSE: This is ratifying the acts in the Colorado Corporation. All in favor say, "Aye." Opposed. Carried.

NOBLE GEORGE M. SAUNDERS: The members of the Board of Trustees and Board of Directors for Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children will meet in the Beekman Room, on the floor below this, at one-thirty. That will give you time to get lunch and come to the meeting.

The newly elected Imperial Potentate's Committee list.

General Counsel, Stanley Garrity, Midian Temple; Auditor, Arthur C. Upleger, Karem Temple; Imperial Chaplain, Rt. Rev. Joseph M. Harte, El Zaribah Temple. (*Reading*)

Jurisprudence and Laws: Orville F. Rush, *Liaison Officer*; Warren L. Jones, Morocco Temple, *Chairman*; Jack M. Streight, Gizeh Temple; J. Edgar Bowron, Zamora Temple; Joe T. Mizell, Jr., Acca Temple; Ford Q. Elvidge, Nile Temple; Robert H. Fouke, Aahmes Temple; Alfred J. Cawse, Jr., Mecca Temple.

Finance and Accounts: Barney W. Collins, *Liaison Officer*; James A. McKnight, Zem Zem Temple, *Chairman*; Harry Martens, Jr., Almas Temple; Walter C. Guy, Scimitar Temple; William B. Falconer, Kismet Temple; B. W. Vetter, Akdar Temple; Howard C. LeManquais, El Bekal Temple; Martin G. Browne, Suez Temple.

Investment: Leonard P. Steuart, Almas Temple, *Chairman*; Walter G. Seeger, Osman Temple, *Vice Chairman*; Thomas F. Seay, Medinah Temple; Chester A. Hogan, Affi Temple; William H. Latimer, Syria Temple; Barney W. Collins, Anezeh Temple; William H. Woodfield, Jr., Islam Temple.

National Shrine Hospital Day: William M. Coffman, Islam Temple, *Chairman*.

Shrine Football and Athletic Committee: Chester A. Hogan, *Liaison Officer*; Robert C. Russell, Sesostri Temple, *Chairman*; Elmer P. Bromley, Al Malaikah Temple; Clarence E. Beeson, Oasis Temple; Melvin T. Blassingham, Khedive Temple.

Wills, Bequests and Gifts: Thomas F. Seay, *Liaison Officer*; Walter C. Guy, Scimitar Temple, *Chairman*; Rennie L. Arnold, Sr., Acca Temple, *Vice Chairman*; Allan C. Mallquist, Tebala Temple, *Secretary*; William H. Woodfield, Jr., Islam Temple; George B. Rowell, Aleppo Temple; Thomas W. Melham, Tripoli Temple; Edwin F. Baertschi, Zenobia Temple.

Committee on Code Amendments: Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple, *Chairman*; Marshall M. Porter, Al Azhar Temple; Stanley Garrity, Midian Temple; Warren L. Jones, Morocco Temple; Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple; Barney W. Collins, Anezeh Temple; Charles E. Merrill, Moslem Temple.

Oil Interests: C. Victor Thornton, *Liaison Officer*; George F. Thagard, Sr., El Bekal Temple; James S. Smith, Maskat Temple; Ted O. Groebl, Suez Temple.

Burns Center: Charles E. Merrill, *Liaison Officer*; Harvey A. Beffa, Moolah Temple, *Chairman*; O. Carlyle Brock, Zem Zem Temple; Barney W. Collins, Anezeh Temple; Orville F. Rush, Kena Temple; Walter G. Seeger, Osman Temple; Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple; Marshall M. Porter, Al Azhar Temple; George A. Mattison, Jr., Zamora Temple.

Building and Equipment: Orville F. Rush, *Liaison Officer*; George A. Mattison, Jr., Zamora Temple, *Chairman*; J. Worth Baker, Murat Temple, *Vice Chairman*; Carl A. Rahn, Al Bedoo Temple; George M. Klepper, Al Chymia Temple; Edgar L. Turner, Aleppo Temple; Walter G. Seeger, Osman Temple; O. Carlyle Brock, Zem Zem Temple.

Medical Records and Research: Marshall M. Porter, Al Azhar Temple, *Chairman*; Aubrey G. Graham, Khedive Temple; Guy A. Caldwell, M.D.; Sherman S. Coleman, M.D.; Frank E. Stinchfield, M.D.

Nomenclature: Harold A. Sofield, M.D., *Chairman*; Adaline C. Hayden, *Consultant*; Frank H. Stelling, M.D.; Donald R. Lannin, M.D.; James Gordon Petrie, M.D.; John R. Moore, M.D.; Sherman S. Coleman, M.D.; Norman R. Browne, M.D.

Committee on Male Administrator: O. Carlyle Brock, Zem Zem Temple, *Chairman*; Harold C. Close, Sphinx Temple; Marshall M. Porter, Al Azhar Temple; Carroll B. Larson, M.D.; Guy A. Caldwell, M.D.

Rules and Regulations: Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple, *Chairman*; George M. Saunders, Ararat Temple; Guy A. Caldwell, M.D., Jerusalem Temple.

Insurance: Carl A. Rahn, Al Bedoo Temple, *Chairman*; Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple; Walter G. Seeger, Osman Temple.

Budget, Salary and Personnel: Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple, *Chairman*; Harvey A. Beffa, Moolah Temple; Thomas F. Seay, Medinah Temple.

Retirement: Harvey A. Beffa, Moolah Temple, *Chairman*; George M. Saunders, Ararat Temple, *Secretary*; O. Carlyle Brock, Zem Zem Temple; Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Aleppo Temple.

That concludes the reading of the list, Imperial Sir.

IMPERIAL POTENTATE BROCK: There are other lesser Committees that I have not completed at the moment but will do so before the day comes to an end.

If there is nothing further I declare the meeting adjourned.

(The Annual Meeting of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, a Colorado Corporation, adjourned at 12:30 P.M.)

**ANNUAL REPORT OF LEONARD P. STEUART
TREASURER, SHRINERS' HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN
JANUARY 1, 1963 -DECEMBER 31, 1963**

WASHINGTON, D. C.

DECEMBER 31, 1963

Imperial Potentate, Harold C. Close, Board of Trustees of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children and Members of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S., at the Ninetieth Annual Imperial Council Session at Chicago, Illinois, on July 19, 1963.

IMPERIAL SIR AND NOBLES:

As Treasurer of the Funds of the Shriners' Hospitals for Crippled Children, I submit herewith the Forty-Second Annual Report for the period January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963, both dates inclusive, with all accompanying detail.

Respectfully submitted,
Yours in the Faith,

L. P. STEUART, *Treasurer*
Shriners Hospitals for
Crippled Children

**SUMMARY OF OPEN CASH ACCOUNTS
SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN
L. P. STEUART, TREASURER - DECEMBER 31, 1963**

Bank	Balance 1/1/63	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance 12/31/63
NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY:				
Operating Account	\$114,861.00	\$18,949,962.27	\$18,447,335.77	\$617,487.50
Massachusetts Corp.	45,665.18	1,682,688.34	1,678,122.74	50,220.78
Employees' Retirement	19,079.49	259,787.56	243,003.14	35,863.91
Surgeons' Retirement	17,227.46	35,311.99	31,723.14	20,816.31
BANK OF MONTREAL:				
Operating Account	18,205.78	772,897.09	774,111.63	16,991.24
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA:				
Operating Account	8,404.59	5,349,061.65	5,350,904.62	6,561.62
TOTALS	\$223,433.50	\$27,049,708.90	\$26,525,201.04	\$747,941.36

**THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY
Chicago, Illinois
HOSPITAL OPERATING ACCOUNT**

Cash in Bank-January 1, 1963	\$	114,861.00
Add: RECEIPTS BY IMPERIAL RECORDER		
January	\$2,603,773.87	
February	675,550.47	
March	2,918,481.84	
April	2,535,588.78	
May	507,261.20	
June	982,963.12	
July	3,089,786.41	
August	912,568.20	
September	498,551.61	
October	2,117,659.21	
November	745,549.83	
December	1,060,611.58	\$18,648,346.12
		\$18,763,207.12
Gain on short-term investments		301,616.15
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS		\$19,064,823.27
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63		
(Checks numbered 1283-3203)	\$17,051,942.85	
Short-term investments (Mature 1-64)	1,395,392.92	\$18,447,335.77
CASH BALANCE IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63		\$ 617,487.50

SHRINERS HOSPITALS

RECAPITULATION

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 114,861.00
Receipts	18,949,962.27
	<u>\$19,064,823.27</u>
Total Disbursements	<u>\$18,447,335.77</u>
Balance in Bank—December 31, 1963	617,487.50
	<u>\$19,064,823.27</u>

THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY

Chicago, Illinois

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION OPERATING ACCOUNT

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 45,655.18
Add: RECEIPTS BY IMPERIAL RECORDER	
January	\$ 222,150.27
February	138,407.73
March	47,514.65
April	201,456.80
May	96,406.21
June	21,584.36
July	169,969.82
August	105,607.91
September	63,774.46
October	361,622.86
November	72,908.16
December	\$ 51,039.87
	\$1,552,443.10
Gain on short-term investments	\$1,598,098.28
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS	130,245.24
	<u>\$1,728,343.52</u>
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63	
(Checks numbered 137-196)	\$1,478,787.74
Short-term investment (Matures 1-30-64)	199,335.00
	<u>\$1,678,122.74</u>
CASH BALANCE IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63	<u>\$ 50,220.78</u>

RECAPITULATION

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 45,655.18
Receipts	1,682,688.34
	<u>\$1,728,343.52</u>
Total Disbursements	<u>\$1,678,122.74</u>
Balance in Bank 12/31/63	50,220.78
	<u>\$1,728,343.52</u>

THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY

Chicago, Illinois

EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 19,079.49
Add: RECEIPTS BY IMPERIAL RECORDER	
January	\$ 25,117.36
February	—
March	31,392.00
April	15,667.42
May	—
June	—
July	24,912.71
August	—
September	—
October	17,448.80
November	—
December	19,480.48
	<u>\$134,018.77</u>
	<u>\$153,098.26</u>

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Gain on short-term investments	125,768.79	
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS	<u>\$278,867.05</u>	
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63		
(Checks numbered 278-755)	\$218,077.75	
Short-term investments (Matures 1/2/64)	<u>24,925.39</u>	\$243,003.14
CASH BALANCE IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63		<u>\$ 35,863.91</u>

RECAPITULATION

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 19,079.49	
Receipts	259,787.56	
	<u>\$278,867.05</u>	
Disbursements	\$243,003.14	
Cash in Bank—December 31, 1963	35,863.91	
	<u>\$278,867.05</u>	

THE NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY Chicago, Illinois SURGEONS' RETIREMENT FUND

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$17,227.46	
Add: RECEIPTS BY IMPERIAL RECORDER		
January	\$10,045.86	
February	—	
March	4,865.76	
April	5,408.36	
May	—	
June	—	
July	8,807.36	
August	—	
September	—	
October	6,184.65	
November	—	
December	—	\$35,311.99
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS		<u>\$52,539.45</u>
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63		
(Checks numbered 128-229)		\$31,723.14
CASH BALANCE IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63		<u>\$20,816.31</u>

RECAPITULATION

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$17,227.46	
Receipts	35,311.99	
	<u>\$52,539.45</u>	
Total Disbursements	\$31,723.14	
Balance in Bank—December 31, 1963	20,816.31	
	<u>\$52,539.45</u>	

BANK OF MONTREAL Winnipeg, Montreal CANADIAN OPERATING ACCOUNT

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 18,205.78	
Add: Receipts 1/1/63-12/31/63		
Checks Deposited	\$735,437.17	
Exchange Premium	36,950.99	
Interest on Bank Account	<u>508.93</u>	\$772,897.09
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS		<u>\$791,102.87</u>
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63		
(Checks numbered 135-183)	<u>\$774,111.63</u>	\$774,111.63
CASH IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63		<u>\$ 16,991.24</u>

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R E C A P I T U L A T I O N

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 18,205.78
Receipts	772,897.09
	<u>\$791,102.87</u>
Total Disbursements	\$774,111.63
Balance in Bank—December 31, 1963	16,991.24
	<u><u>\$791,102.87</u></u>

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA
Winnipeg, Manitoba
CANADIAN OPERATING ACCOUNT

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 8,404.59
Add: Receipts 1/1/63-12/31/63	
Checks Deposited	\$5,203,675.27
Exchange Premium	38,759.63
Interest on Invested Funds	106,386.61
Interest on Bank Account	240.14
TOTAL CASH BALANCE AND RECEIPTS	<u>\$5,349,061.65</u>
Less: DISBURSEMENTS 1/1/63-12/31/63	
Short-term Investments	\$5,350,904.62
CASH BALANCE IN BANK AS OF 12/31/63	<u><u>\$ 6,561.62</u></u>

R E C A P I T U L A T I O N

Cash in Bank—January 1, 1963	\$ 8,404.59
Receipts	5,349,061.25
	<u>\$5,357,466.24</u>
Total Disbursements	\$5,350,904.62
Balance in Bank—December 31, 1963	6,561.62
	<u><u>\$5,357,466.24</u></u>

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ANNUAL REPORT OF GEORGE M. SAUNDERS,
SECRETARY

*Imperial Potentate, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Officers
and Members of the Imperial Council, A.A.O.N.M.S.*

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

GREETINGS:

IMPERIAL SIR AND REPRESENTATIVES TO THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL:

Your Secretary respectfully submits the following detailed statement of the transactions of the Secretary's office for the fiscal period January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963, both dates inclusive.

The schedules of the Report of the Imperial Auditor which follow, reflect the details of the business transacted during the past year, and in them you will note the continued growth in the work of your Shriners Hospitals. The Nobles of the Mystic Shrine continue to be justly proud of the great success of the Shriners Charity work and the record of accomplishments in the care and treatment of Crippled Children which has reflected only glory to our Order.

This work of Shriners Hospitals continues to prosper and grow with each passing month and it is almost unbelievable the tremendous amount of detail that flows through the General Offices daily in connection with it.

The general public has great confidence in the Shriners as is exemplified in the success of the work of the Wills, Bequests and Gifts Committee. Many of the estates that benefit the work of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children are the result of the confidence in us by the non-member. This is a tremendous challenge to us to live up to such a high regard and should inspire all of us to do an even better job. The Wills, Bequests and Gifts work under the Chairman, Imperial Sir Harold Lloyd, and the Secretary, Imperial Sir Walter C. Guy, has prospered during the year and the committee has completed plans to insure continued growth in this particular field.

The new Chairman of the Board of Trustees has since his return from the Orient devoted his full time to the work of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, and while he was out of the country the Vice President, Imperial Sir O. Carlyle Brock, gave his full time to keeping the business of the corporation current. The Vice Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Imperial Sir Harvey A. Beffa, did the necessary to supply

the answers on the Hospital operation subject itself while Past Imperial Potentate Harold Lloyd was out of the country. Imperial Sir Beffa at the same time conducted the business of the Burns Center Committee since he heads that committee's activities.

All of the committees of the Colorado Corporation and the committees of the Board of Trustees have devoted tireless effort to the Shrine's charity work and not in a single instance have they been found wanting in any respect.

Imperial Sir Harold Lloyd since his return has devoted the full measure of his time to the work of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children and a more dedicated Noble could not be found. He lends great enhancement to the work of the Shrine.

As we move down through the years this work enjoys a tremendous growth and this means much more detail to be handled in the General Offices, the Chairman's Office and the office of General Counsel. The increase is reflected, of course, in the work load also of all the Committees. Our deep appreciation is expressed to all who have made such a splendid contribution to the Hospital work throughout the year. I want to express my personal thanks to the workers in each Unit, as well as those in the General Offices for the services rendered this work of the World's Greatest Philanthropy during the year just past. To Noble Charles Marshall, my Assistant, I want to publicly express my thanks for the time and devotion to duty and attention to the accounting details and procedures of our work. I am grateful to him.

We now have the work of the Nomenclature Committee and Mrs. Hayden, our Medical Record Consultant, in preparing copy for the Manual ready to come off the press. This work should be of great use to all Orthopedic Doctors.

We continue to get many letters of appreciation from patients and their loved ones expressing their thoughts and thanks to all Shriners for providing the medium through which they have returned to "An equal chance" in the race of life. These letters are very warm and sincere in stating their grateful appreciation to the Shrine.

The members of all Local Boards, the Administrators of each Unit, the Chief and Assistant Surgeons of each Hospital, together with the professional staff and the administrative staff workers in each Unit and the Executive Administrator, Miss Eleanor Baird, have each devoted tremendous interest and co-operation in the work of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children and we extend our sincere thanks to each and every one for such splendid help.

The Surgical Advisory Board, under the able leadership of Dr. Guy A. Caldwell, has worked diligently throughout the year with problems in our work. We regret to learn that Doctors Caldwell, McDonald and Speed find it necessary to retire from the Board and we will always be thankful to them for their many years of devoted service to our great charity work. Dr. Caldwell will stay with us as Consultant, yet he feels that his Board position should go to a younger surgeon. These noted surgeons have carried the Shrine Hospitals work through the greatest period of growth in the history of the work and to each of them goes the credit for the excellence our service has attained.

As we get into the third score years of service to the crippled children of our land we as Nobles of the Mystic Shrine continue to grow in stature in our chosen field of endeavor. The work of the Shrine Burns Institutes will before long develop into a mantle as elegant and attractive as was the work for the orthopedically crippled child we entered in 1922.

The Shrine must continue to grow and prosper and we must continue to increase our sphere of influence and attraction of our friends in order to continue the expansion of our Shriners Hospital work. The future lies bright and glorious ahead of us and we all enjoy great inspiration from being a part of this noble work for humankind.

Sincerely yours in the Faith,

Secretary,

UNIT	Opened	No. of Beds	X-Rays	Oper.	Casts Applied	Braces Applied	Physio Therapy Treatments	Clinic Visits	On Waiting List	No. Patients Discharged	Av. Days Stay	Av. Daily Census	Direct Operating Expense	Per Patient Day	Per Patient
Chicago	3/20/26	68	6,270	387	1,428	344	8,417	4,295	268	296	81	65	\$ 483,449.84	\$20.17	\$1,636.65
Greenville	9/1/27	60	2,800	324	1,373	540	4,925	5,087	217	405	53	58	415,519.33	19.62	1,025.97
Honolulu	1/2/23	30	2,932	147	1,033	250	11,865	3,879	118	134	86	32	295,341.96	25.60	2,204.04
Intermountain	1/22/25	60	1,387	275	562	210	3,290	1,834	89	260	58	42	381,382.77	23.69	1,466.85
Lexington	11/1/26	50	2,846	286	643	329	6,151	2,531	144	276	61	50	398,309.04	22.28	1,443.15
Los Angeles	3/1/52	60	5,980	252	1,729	114	3,172	2,590	84	307	67	59	507,057.78	23.66	1,651.65
Mexico City	3/10/52	50	2,699	451	325	215	16,047	4,143	273	237	75	49	208,335.24	11.54	879.05
Montreal	2/18/25	60	3,017	422	664	146	4,913	1,227	69	308	68	55	379,185.31	18.80	1,231.12
Philadelphia	6/24/26	100	2,676	353	865	200	11,338	2,831	278	299	116	95	447,020.10	12.88	1,495.05
Portland	1/15/24	80	6,283	493	1,325	588	5,240	3,394	187	440	72	80	541,143.25	18.54	1,229.87
St. Louis	4/8/24	100	8,808	590	1,494	617	9,256	6,688	338	683	43	78	727,719.08	25.62	1,065.47
San Francisco	6/16/23	60	5,080	302	1,261	340	5,923	3,163	90	263	80	58	515,795.46	24.51	1,961.20
Shreveport	9/16/22	60	2,526	156	385	245	5,230	1,733	92	253	87	61	346,199.93	15.56	1,368.37
Spokane	11/24/24	40	2,594	227	591	235	2,496	2,200	70	232	57	40	330,140.83	22.56	1,423.02
Springfield	2/21/25	60	4,480	355	954	463	8,151	3,637	238	282	72	59	455,380.45	21.31	1,614.82
Twin Cities	3/12/23	60	2,289	303	563	197	5,899	1,634	49	347	60	54	477,455.63	24.22	1,375.95
Winnipeg	3/16/25	50	2,287	202	533	87	6,594	995	117	208	88	50	310,648.76	17.00	1,493.50
Total		1,048	64,954	5,525	15,748	5,120	118,907	51,861	2,721	5,230	72 (Avg.)	985	\$7,220,084.76	\$20.64 (Avg.)	\$1,380.51 (Avg.)

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March 28, 1964

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

We have examined the Balance Sheets of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, Colorado Corporation, Canadian Corporation, Massachusetts Corporation, Mexican Corporations S.A. and A.C. and California Corporation as of December 31, 1963 and the related statements of Income and Fund Balances for the year then ended. On instructions of the Board of Trustees, since the Central Office makes its own internal audit of the Individual Hospital Units, we did not conduct our own audit of the Hospital Operating, Donation and Building Funds. We did however, verify all cash held in these funds at December 31, 1963 by confirmation and by the examination of cutoff bank statements and reconciliations sent directly to us. Otherwise, our examination was conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and included all procedures which we considered necessary in the circumstances. In the course of our audit we examined all checks issued by the Treasurer in 1963.

Securities and other assets received from bequests and donations are recorded on the books of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children at the market value on the date of the transfer of the assets to the trust bank. These assets, as well as those purchased, then remain at this book or carrying value until disposed of.

In our opinion, subject to the explanation regarding the audit of the individual hospital units, the accompanying Balance Sheets and statements of Income and Fund Balances present fairly the financial condition of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children as of December 31, 1963 and the results of its Operations for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. UPLEGER AND COMPANY
Certified Public Accountants

(SEAL)

COMMENTS ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

General Comments

The total carrying value of consolidated assets of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, after the elimination of inter fund receivables, amounts to \$227,139,254.92 as of December 31, 1963. The comparable amount at December 31, 1962 was \$201,395,428.57. There was therefore an increase of \$25,743,826.35 in the total assets for the year 1963. A consolidated balance sheet is shown on Exhibit I of this report.

Total consolidated receipts and the application of these receipts to the various funds for the year 1963 is as follows:

Receipts:

Bequests	\$15,797,429.00
Contributions from Shrine Temples, Individuals and Other Sources	3,434,618.56
Life Memberships	172,138.79
Profits on Investments	1,213,533.28
Sale of Hospital Property	956,545.00
Miscellaneous	285,300.74
Hospital Assessments	3,430,737.50
Investment Income	7,892,802.06
Income Trust Receipts	577,851.80
Total	<u>\$33,760,956.73</u>

Receipts were Applied To:

Hospital Operating, Donation and Building Funds	\$ 7,780,907.94
Burns Institute	50,000.00
Custodial Funds, Special Purpose Funds and Miscellaneous Assets	3,473,307.60
Operating Reserve Fund	2,830,171.10
Retirement Funds	465,758.28
Endowment Funds	17,974,405.91
Plant Assets	<u>1,186,405.90</u>
Total	<u>\$33,760,956.73</u>

Total receipts for 1962 amounted to \$32,547,437.75; however included in this amount were unrealized profits on securities transferred from custodial accounts to trust banks of approximately \$1,590,000.00.

COMMENTS ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Cont'd.)

General Funds

Administrative expenses and reimbursements to the hospital units for operating expenses are paid from the general funds. The main source of income in the general funds is investment income from endowments and hospital assessments. Any excess of income over expense in the general funds each year is transferred into the Operating Reserve Fund to be used for capital expenditures.

Operating Reserve Fund

Total assets of the Operating Reserve Fund at December 31, 1963 amount to \$10,545,687.26. This figure includes the amount due from the general funds for the 1963 excess of income over expense. Temporary investments are held in safekeeping by the Bank of Nova Scotia while other securities are administered by the Northern Trust Company. The \$800,000.00 note received in the sale of the old St. Louis hospital property was transferred to miscellaneous assets for collection.

Shriners Burns Institute

An initial allocation of \$50,000.00 was made in 1963 for the operation of the Burns Institute at Galveston, Texas. Expenses are paid on a quarterly basis to the University of Texas. The interim budget for the first twelve months of operations was set at \$252,950.00.

Hospital Units' Operating, Donation and Building Funds

The Hospital Units are reimbursed monthly from the general funds for all operating expenses. Operating and other expenses of all hospitals are shown in detail on schedule 1 of this report. Total expense of the hospitals for 1963 amounted to \$7,417,959.14 as compared to \$6,589,049.63 for 1962.

The hospital building funds receive allocations from the Operating Reserve Fund which are used to pay for capital expenditures. Contributions from various sources are received in the Donation Funds and periodically transferred to Endowments.

Custodial Funds, Special Purpose Funds and Miscellaneous Assets

The income from Special Purpose Funds is restricted by agreement with the donor as to disbursement from income to the original donor or designated beneficiary. The principal of these funds will ultimately inure to the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children.

Miscellaneous assets are composed of mortgages, notes, real estate, and mineral interests.

Retirement Funds

Details of the Employees' Retirement Fund and the Surgeons Retirement Fund are shown on Exhibit A-17, 18 and 19. The investments of these funds are also administered by trust banks.

Endowment Funds

Total assets of the endowment funds at book value amount to \$175,595,476.45 at December 31, 1963, an increase of \$17,972,977.14 over book value at December 31, 1962 which was \$157,622,499.31. Approximate market value at December 31, 1963 was \$221,982,974.24 as compared to December 31, 1962 of \$189,777,849.00, or an increase of \$32,205,125.24. Gross earnings from these funds, before trustees fees, etc., was \$7,652,902.64.

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SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN
EXHIBIT I
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

	Total	General Funds	Operating Reserve Fund	Hospital Units' Operating, Donation and Building Funds	Burns Institute	Custodial Funds, Special Purpose Funds, and Miscellaneous Assets	Retirement Funds	Endowment Funds	Plant Assets
ASSETS									
Cash and Savings	\$ 4,697,555.86	\$ 750,202.23	\$ 6,561.62	\$1,659,762.46	\$48,787.58	\$ 181,077.23	\$ 161,941.54	\$ 1,889,223.20	
Temporary Investments	4,497,677.92	1,595,727.92	2,901,950.00						
Accounts Receivable	2,330,586.99	2,288,472.85					42,114.14		
Due from Other Funds	3,503,494.77	146,208.39	3,139,274.21	80,452.82		134,644.85	2,914.50		
Advances on Estates	171,473.51	171,473.51							
Securities Held for Investment	170,540,748.43		4,497,901.43			5,744,040.48	3,188,224.17	157,110,582.35	
Real Estate and Miscellaneous Assets Held for Investment	19,235,646.74					2,639,975.84		16,595,670.90	
Plant Real Estate	1,317,009.27								1,317,009.27
Buildings	19,918,258.88								19,918,258.88
Equipment	3,593,185.10								3,593,185.10
Construction in Progress	835,410.68								835,410.68
Prepaid Expense and Other Assets	1,701.54	805.54		896.00					
Total Fund Assets	230,642,749.69	4,952,890.44	10,545,687.26	1,741,111.28	48,787.58	8,699,738.40	3,395,194.35	175,595,476.45	25,663,863.93
Less Due from Other Funds	3,503,494.77	146,208.39	3,139,274.21	80,452.82		134,644.85	2,914.50		
Total Assets (Inter Fund Receivables Eliminated)	\$227,139,254.92	\$4,806,682.05	\$ 7,406,413.05	\$1,660,658.46	\$48,787.58	\$8,565,093.55	\$3,392,279.85	\$175,595,476.45	\$25,663,863.93
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES									
Bank Overdrafts	\$ 59,606.91		\$ 59,606.91						
Accounts Payable	33,653.34	17,094.17			14,661.48	1,897.69			
Reserve for Burns Institute Contributions	70,113.81		70,113.81						
Monies Held for Transfer	1,432,301.50	1,432,301.50							
Due to Other Funds	3,503,494.77	3,503,494.77							
Fund Balances	199,879,715.43		10,415,996.54	1,741,111.28	34,126.10	8,697,840.71	3,395,194.35	175,595,476.45	25,663,863.93
Investment in Plant Assets	25,663,863.93								
Total Fund Liabilities and Fund Balances	230,642,749.69	4,952,890.44	10,545,687.26	1,741,111.28	48,787.58	8,699,738.40	3,395,194.35	175,595,476.45	25,663,863.93
Less Due to Other Funds	3,503,494.77	3,503,494.77							
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances (Inter Fund Payables Eliminated)	\$227,139,254.92	\$1,449,395.67	\$10,545,687.26	\$1,741,111.28	\$48,787.58	\$8,699,738.40	\$3,395,194.35	\$175,595,476.45	\$25,663,863.93
Approximate Market Value of Assets in Funds Holding Securities for Investment			\$10,671,918.97			\$9,482,156.44	\$3,492,536.31	\$221,982,974.24	

CERTIFICATE OF IMPERIAL AUDITOR

The above statement is a correct presentation of the consolidated assets of all Corporations of the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children as at December 31, 1963, and in my opinion, fairly presents the financial condition of the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children as at December 31, 1963, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, which I deem proper and adequate applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year which, in my opinion, fairly presents the proper and true values.

Respectfully submitted,
A C. UPLEGER,
Imperial Auditor

SCHEDULE 1
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF HOSPITAL OPERATING, CUSTODIAL, REPLACEMENTS AND NON-OPERATING EXPENSES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	Total	Chicago	Greenville	Honolulu	Inter-Mountain	Lexington	Los Angeles	Philadelphia	Portland	St. Louis	San Francisco	Shreveport	Spokane	Twin Cities	Montreal	Winnipeg	Springfield	Mexico City
OPERATING EXPENSES:																		
Administrative Salaries	\$ 563,878.84	\$ 37,570.57	\$ 30,267.72	\$ 25,471.15	\$ 29,135.67	\$ 26,882.50	\$ 44,729.44	\$ 34,093.77	\$ 35,141.68	\$ 58,486.45	\$ 38,269.19	\$ 28,541.12	\$ 30,690.96	\$ 26,833.22	\$ 27,995.13	\$ 18,586.05	\$ 37,948.37	\$ 33,235.85
Administrative Supplies & Expenses	130,717.99	9,305.30	5,767.49	5,494.39	7,793.95	7,566.61	8,377.52	6,758.12	8,421.32	12,736.46	10,338.64	5,586.56	9,670.40	8,094.21	7,420.34	4,821.05	7,017.11	5,548.52
Insurance	122,186.07	6,434.52	6,995.19	3,975.11	5,687.54	6,993.13	16,654.35	6,627.53	7,368.08	6,120.91	13,877.73	4,413.74	2,980.28	7,484.46	8,338.99	9,368.85	6,740.20	2,125.46
Taxes & Licenses	151,806.21	9,798.66	7,712.15	8,042.48	8,179.71	7,850.15	13,128.37	9,141.64	13,708.80	15,058.93	11,331.39	6,445.71	6,959.98	11,157.72	5,718.86	720.80	9,789.24	7,061.62
Retirement	285,660.10	17,434.32	20,571.72	13,999.26	17,433.50	18,970.76	22,921.37	18,057.09	20,051.16	19,977.85	20,137.66	15,412.38	8,945.67	17,919.87	15,911.54	14,406.87	21,459.38	2,049.70
Commissary Salaries	325,942.33	18,061.09	9,918.07	15,191.38	17,611.22	17,900.76	24,109.45	24,686.39	26,557.17	30,573.98	24,002.57	19,160.05	15,406.40	21,403.71	12,469.33	19,821.10	22,102.57	6,967.09
Commissary Supplies & Expenses	437,361.98	33,091.50	20,375.70	15,131.79	19,657.83	27,998.12	26,819.18	38,581.12	26,896.25	43,564.08	33,331.81	23,066.69	21,552.83	24,805.38	24,830.43	15,530.40	26,257.36	15,871.51
Dry Goods Salaries	13,797.30		1,347.50		1,196.25	2,640.00				2,398.65		3,284.76			2,327.30		602.84	
Dry Goods Supplies & Expenses	18,291.02	2,246.71	252.84	291.44	558.13	692.99	2,672.75	2,180.06	1,659.67	2,469.33	1,730.53	195.20	396.48	833.69	786.94		801.64	522.62
Heat, Light, Power, Etc. Salaries	265,472.58	27,949.14	2,525.00		10,247.55	7,005.00	27,733.46	17,879.75	19,614.68	32,075.32	19,354.31	2,503.50	3,653.75	36,087.02	15,548.85	20,268.78	18,615.50	4,410.97
Heat, Light, Power, Etc. Supplies & Expenses	282,461.63	25,069.05	18,068.62	8,826.41	12,676.33	14,221.79	9,737.37	14,667.14	13,170.27	58,081.93	13,285.59	13,041.35	11,695.31	18,973.39	10,434.37	10,683.56	17,246.43	12,582.72
Laundry Salaries	159,598.71	13,557.40	11,175.78	9,033.40	8,963.50	6,802.85	11,201.22	8,830.33	15,184.49	17,813.57	10,430.15	7,192.40	9,019.00	9,846.79	8,095.70		10,396.49	2,055.64
Laundry Supplies & Expenses	28,008.20	1,953.46	1,184.84	486.46	939.14	1,051.82	1,438.77	1,280.68	1,126.69	3,088.08	425.65	1,621.72	897.20	1,609.49	1,268.70	7,716.82	1,112.59	806.09
Maintenance Salaries	529,429.92	34,492.58	37,866.81	27,359.83	28,843.27	25,949.45	34,779.69	30,733.51	57,812.80	46,846.75	35,032.25	22,068.25	19,071.63	33,866.52	22,469.24	30,139.06	26,902.76	15,195.52
Maintenance Supplies & Expenses	200,084.55	23,788.57	10,589.62	2,983.07	7,141.50	8,914.62	9,432.36	14,156.89	26,689.77	14,086.44	5,951.10	17,494.87	7,972.95	10,413.55	14,933.40	8,263.68	12,165.10	5,107.06
Automobile Salaries	6,065.30		625.00		3,957.46					1,482.84								
Automobile Supplies & Expenses	13,862.33	431.07	356.04	158.06	2,025.57	115.47	435.20	484.59	207.64	5,777.20	600.00	497.14	358.50	289.11	1,149.50	777.24	200.00	
Nursing Service Salaries	1,660,051.68	103,333.16	82,133.77	79,190.97	90,919.15	93,821.33	115,776.38	91,527.37	135,669.91	147,740.40	140,446.33	76,438.08	74,254.15	124,033.01	86,840.85	81,035.32	104,047.23	32,844.27
Nursing Service Supplies & Expenses	35,670.39	964.50	3,596.47	1,731.30	1,646.69	2,352.76	1,559.50	1,202.43	1,216.38	5,606.64	2,141.01	874.52	2,146.23	1,918.34	2,900.61	1,639.30	3,236.85	936.86
Operating Room Salaries	573,423.29	29,633.71	32,687.50	18,522.38	36,723.36	28,156.35	35,985.25	30,477.80	49,146.73	44,798.29	51,819.94	32,975.62	31,074.96	36,555.70	33,968.56	22,085.00	42,688.06	16,129.08
Operating Room Supplies & Expenses	264,328.56	10,797.98	7,337.89	13,557.95	16,882.71	14,653.23	28,555.71	26,285.65	13,071.36	43,940.60	14,455.95	5,466.70	9,963.85	8,397.24	11,068.52	14,832.22	10,552.57	14,508.43
X-Ray & Photography Salaries	91,192.00	5,185.40	5,048.90	4,679.87	3,550.08	3,810.00	5,133.00	7,107.84	8,749.11	9,286.00	9,362.23	2,235.68	5,313.75	4,365.38	4,618.00	4,580.90	4,897.36	1,897.36
X-Ray & Photography Supplies & Expenses	69,664.13	5,424.83	2,153.71	3,649.00	2,122.06	2,160.34	6,144.26	4,160.83	5,668.48	9,954.47	7,443.65	2,943.73	4,253.01	2,669.95	3,523.95	1,579.86	3,648.96	2,163.04
Surgical Appliances Salaries	80,771.81		12,465.00						14,495.67	14,480.00	6,480.00	11,513.08	5,846.45		4,200.00		4,412.88	
Surgical Appliances Supplies & Expenses	374,219.67	33,925.12	26,999.86	16,399.08	25,414.81	25,842.85	27,912.36	26,527.65	12,620.92	31,196.00	19,229.75	18,961.90	25,806.12	26,011.31	21,108.02	1,935.64	29,915.40	3,167.15
Laboratory Salaries	19,377.40		2,461.80		1,426.65	1,800.00	2,551.50	452.00	1,925.00	1,566.48	3,442.05	1,200.00		2,480.00		25.00		46.92
Laboratory Supplies & Expenses	49,213.71	1,917.20	3,996.24	3,872.60	2,339.28	2,607.80	1,644.05	3,041.42	189.60	5,821.66	4,050.22	2,163.94	4,663.10	3,663.43	1,738.67	399.66	1,891.20	5,213.64
Occupational Therapy Salaries	7,371.58				195.00										2,963.90		2,297.68	
Occupational Therapy Supplies & Expenses	1,590.96														668.01		587.66	
Physiotherapy Salaries	128,016.37	10,682.57	8,368.85	10,841.54	4,554.75	6,642.92	4,165.85	10,242.74	13,332.40	11,890.00	5,711.92	3,359.79	3,949.87	8,975.59	4,442.50	6,920.70	10,934.96	2,999.42
Physiotherapy Supplies & Expenses	4,174.94	255.16	95.00	212.50	85.99	563.95	951.59	148.25	141.43	246.48	178.32	412.16	220.84	63.00	3.10	226.48	359.15	11.54
Pediatricians Salaries	15,018.20	999.96	550.00		1,260.00		1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	1,000.00	1,200.00	1,000.08	1,000.08	1,000.08	1,000.00	1,008.00
Pediatricians Supplies & Expenses	1,760.00			1,200.00	540.00					20.00								
Dental & Optical Salaries	6,802.95	720.00			1,200.00	840.00				1,200.00		800.00	780.00	62.95	1,200.00			
Dental & Optical Supplies & Expenses	2,523.85	53.61	21.03	194.44	30.00	31.51		444.45	134.35	418.73	33.00	670.71	146.11		127.23	108.25	110.43	
Consultants	16,180.50		1,480.00	313.75	1,967.50	3,414.00	5,050.00	335.00	125.00		20.25	667.50	115.00		1,745.00	267.50		680.00
Pharmacy	44,773.01	2,493.26	2,639.40	1,335.60	3,003.93	2,912.76	2,012.89	1,048.56	3,831.76	5,393.05	2,812.28	3,088.86	2,859.65	2,629.74	3,500.30	800.92	2,204.95	2,205.10
Outside Clinics	5,037.19		3,276.70	597.54	515.96	219.88		183.65									243.46	
Total Operating Expenses	\$6,985,792.25	\$467,570.40	\$380,912.21	\$292,742.75	\$371,272.33	\$369,941.95	\$492,881.95	\$437,672.60	\$534,928.57	\$705,197.57	\$507,725.47	\$335,297.71	\$316,017.98	\$458,290.30	\$361,115.92	\$304,991.38	\$446,866.26	\$202,366.90
CUSTODIAL EXPENSES:																		
Entertainment	9,902.32	1,536.57	1,228.49	812.96			22.38	1,075.86	42.35	1,104.74	219.69	1,416.36	411.46	287.86	956.13	754.33	33.14	
Clothing, Shoes, Etc.	112,895.97	2,800.29	23,862.51	1,739.39	2,906.36	12,059.81	4,025.41	2,681.64	1,635.58	15,498.63	982.03	5,266.34	9,514.80	2,492.80	9,174.90	3,059.90	2,799.73	12,395.85
Transportation	1,706.60	60.90	41.00	3.43		20.00	10.00		70.80	512.70			70.77	1.45	758.36	40.69	102.26	14.24
Funerals	30.00																	

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-1
ALL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

ASSETS			
GENERAL FUND:			
Cash in Banks and on Hand	\$ 682,990.21		
Temporary Investments	1,396,392.92		
Accounts Receivable	2,094,471.44		
Advances on Estates	171,473.51		
Due from Other Corporations	142,673.36		
Prepaid Expense	805.54		
Total		\$4,488,806.98	
OPERATING RESERVE FUND (1)			
Cash in Bank	6,561.62		
Due from General Fund	3,092,680.66		
Due from Other Corporations	46,593.55		
Temporary Investments	2,901,950.00		
Securities	4,497,901.43		
Total		\$10,545,687.26	
HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING, DONATION, AND BUILDING FUNDS:			
OPERATING FUNDS:			
Cash	619,026.93		
Due from General Fund	55,922.49	674,949.42	
Donation Funds Cash		263,565.71	
Building Funds Cash and Time Deposits		367,277.77	
Total		\$1,305,792.90	
BURNS INSTITUTE OPERATING FUNDS:			
Cash in Banks		\$ 48,787.58	
CUSTODIAL FUNDS, SPECIAL PURPOSE FUNDS, AND MISCELLANEOUS ASSETS (2)			
CORPUS:			
Cash and Savings	175,884.23		
Securities	5,739,410.84		
Real Estate and Other	2,589,969.84		
Due from General Fund	96,558.93	8,601,823.84	
INCOME:			
Cash	2,080.81		
Due from General Fund	38,085.92	40,166.73	
Total		\$8,641,990.57	
RETIREMENT FUNDS: (3)			
CORPUS:			
Cash	105,261.32		
Securities	3,188,224.17	3,293,485.49	
INCOME:			
Cash	56,680.22		
Due from Banks	40,626.77		
Due from General Fund	2,914.50		
Other Accounts Receivable	1,487.37	101,708.86	
Total		\$3,395,194.35	
ENDOWMENT FUNDS: (4)			
Cash and Savings	1,656,675.93		
Securities	142,547,322.81		
Mortgages, Real Estate and Other	15,990,035.06		
Total		\$160,194,033.80	
PLANT ASSETS:			
Real Estate	1,012,060.79		
Buildings	16,826,657.76		
Equipment	2,801,570.35		
Construction in Progress	835,410.68		
Total		\$ 21,475,699.58	
Total Assets		\$210,095,993.02	

- (1) Market Values Presented on Exhibit A-4
(2) Market Values Presented on Exhibit A-13
(3) Market Values Presented on Exhibit A-17
(4) Market Values Presented on Exhibit A-20

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
GENERAL FUND:			
Due to Other Corporations	\$ 3,535.03		
Due to Hospital Operating Funds	55,922.49		
Due to Retirement Funds	2,914.50		
Due to Operating Reserve Fund	3,092,680.66		
Due to Custodial Funds	134,644.85		
Other Accounts Payable	16,530.07		
Monies Held for Transfer	1,182,579.38		
Total		\$ 4,488,806.98	
OPERATING RESERVE FUND:			
Bank Overdrafts	59,606.91		
Reserve for Burns Institute Contributions	70,113.81		
Fund Balance	10,415,966.54		
Total		\$ 10,545,687.26	
HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING, DONATION, AND BUILDING FUNDS:			
Operating Fund Balances	674,949.42		
Donation Fund Balances	263,565.71		
Building Fund Balances	367,277.77		
Total		\$ 1,305,792.90	
BURNS INSTITUTE OPERATING FUNDS:			
Accounts Payable	14,661.48		
Fund Balance	34,126.10		
Total		\$ 48,787.58	
CUSTODIAL FUNDS, SPECIAL PURPOSE FUNDS, AND MISCELLANEOUS ASSETS:			
CORPUS:			
Fund Balances	8,601,823.84		
INCOME:			
Due to Donors	1,897.69		
Fund Balances	38,269.04	40,166.73	
Total		\$ 8,641,990.57	
RETIREMENT FUNDS:			
SURGEONS' RETIREMENT FUND BALANCES:			
Corpus	534,114.31		
Income	33,145.53	567,259.84	
EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT FUND BALANCES:			
Corpus	2,759,371.18		
Income	68,563.33	2,827,934.51	
Total		\$ 3,395,194.35	
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:			
General Endowments	127,625,023.59		
Permanent Endowments	13,544,158.22		
Life Memberships	19,024,851.99		
Total		\$160,194,033.80	
PLANT ASSETS:			
Hospital Plant Assets	21,333,090.98		
General Offices Equipment	142,608.60		
Total		\$ 21,475,699.58	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances		\$210,095,993.02	

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-2
GENERAL FUND
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

ASSETS

Cash in Banks	\$ 677,088.56
Secretary's Cash Funds	5,901.65
Temporary Investments	1,396,392.92
Assessments Receivable	30,536.75
Income Due from Banks and Others	1,962,367.21
Due from Imperial Council	100,976.28
Due from Canadian Corporation	70,064.83
Due from Massachusetts Corporation	72,608.53
Miscellaneous Receivables	591.20
Advances on Estates	171,473.51
Prepaid Insurance	805.54
Total Assets	<u>\$4,488,806.98</u>

LIABILITIES

Due to Mexican Corporation	3,535.03
Due to Retirement Funds	2,914.50
Due to Hospital Operating Funds	55,922.49
Due to Operating Reserve Fund	3,092,680.66
Due to Custodial Funds	134,644.85
Other Accounts Payable	16,530.07
Monies Held for Transfer	1,182,579.38
Total Liabilities	<u>\$4,488,806.98</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-3
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:

INVESTMENT INCOME:

Permanent Endowments	\$ 566,316.71	
Life Membership Funds	770,153.69	
Income Trusts	472,618.28	
General Endowments	5,119,068.15	
Operating Reserve Fund	237,283.21	
Custodial Funds, Special Purpose Funds, and Miscellaneous Assets	129,201.06	
Other	<u>105,278.87</u>	7,399,919.97
Assessments		3,430,737.50
Collection and Exchange		38,756.26
Donations		47,675.85
Retirement Refund from Imperial Council		75,432.39
Miscellaneous		<u>19,313.90</u>
Total		<u>\$11,011,835.87</u>

EXPENDITURES:

Administrative Expenses (Schedule A-1)	605,509.28
Disbursed to Hospital Units	6,131,978.57
Disbursed for Equipment	4,515.89
Disbursed to Burns Institute	50,000.00
Payments to Donors and Beneficiaries	164,077.14
Non-Operating Expenses	33,078.30
Transfers to Operating Reserve Fund	3,318,668.44
Transfers to Canadian Corporation	448,078.73
Transfers to Mexican Corporation	220,929.52
Transfers to Massachusetts Corporation	35,000.00
Total	<u>\$11,011,835.87</u>

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COLORADO CORPORATION
SCHEDULE A-1
GENERAL FUND
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963, 1962 AND 1961

	Dec. 31, 1963	Dec. 31, 1962	Dec. 31, 1961
Office of Chairman of Board of Trustees	\$ 586.70	\$ 15,031.57	\$ 24,033.70
Salary of Secretary	21,000.00	21,000.00	21,000.00
Salaries of Secretary's Assistants	123,058.95	106,223.44	102,714.28
Salary of Administrator	15,000.00	12,000.00	10,800.00
Administrator's Expenses	3,502.36	1,942.46	2,232.14
Salary of Treasurer and Treasurer's Office		10,000.00	7,833.44
General Counsel and General Attorney Expense	105,028.78	101,042.63	88,500.00
Auditing and Management Survey Expense	14,401.96	22,618.55	13,682.10
Orthopedic Advisory Board	13,585.25	13,239.64	7,754.41
OTHER EXPENSES OF SECRETARY'S OFFICE:			
Building Expenses	75,070.59	73,845.14	67,527.79
Telephone and Telegraph	9,310.56	9,570.67	9,067.68
Printing, Films, Publicity, Etc.	39,843.44	26,890.62	38,833.59
Postage and Office Supplies	20,596.84	12,428.35	11,064.95
Insurance	5,822.96	2,190.20	2,540.94
Maintenance of Office Equipment	2,348.60	2,115.06	3,381.49
Social Security	5,521.58	3,986.25	3,749.43
Travel and Committee Expenses (Other than Research and Burns Institute)	62,962.07	48,948.56	49,330.72
Retirement	14,875.34	36.75	215,830.73
Hospital Appraisals	-0-	4,500.00	-0-
Miscellaneous	18,682.40	17,812.30	11,588.89
Estate and Custodial Procurement Expense	1,958.51	11,968.10	85,621.98
Burns Institute Committee and Other Expense	11,662.95	19,717.21	-0-
RESEARCH COMMITTEE EXPENSES:			
Travel	1,183.53	3,648.12	4,112.46
Stationery and Supplies, Etc.	11,960.64	16,683.81	16,239.46
Salaries	27,545.27	35,224.83	31,143.12
Total	<u>\$605,509.28</u>	<u>\$592,464.26</u>	<u>\$828,583.30</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-4
OPERATING RESERVE FUND
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

Cash Uninvested	\$ 6,561.62
Temporary Investments	2,901,950.00
Due from General Fund	3,092,680.66
Due from Massachusetts Corporation General Fund	46,593.55

SECURITIES:

Government Bonds	\$1,495,587.04	
Other Bonds	1,471,189.10	
Stocks	1,531,125.29	4,497,901.43
Total Assets		<u>\$10,545,687.26</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

LIABILITIES:

Bank Overdrafts	59,606.91	
Reserve for Burns Institute Contributions	70,113.81	129,720.72
Fund Balance		10,415,966.54
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance		<u>\$10,545,687.26</u>

NOTE: Approximate market value of securities amounts to \$4,624,133.14 at December 31, 1963.

FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

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COLORADO CORPORATION

EXHIBIT A-5

OPERATING RESERVE FUND

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Balance January 1, 1963		\$ 7,591,672.60
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ADDITIONS:

Transfer from General Fund	\$3,318,668.44	
Transfer from Massachusetts Corporation General Fund	46,593.55	
Sale of St. Louis Hospital	900,295.00	
Sale of Philadelphia Land	56,250.00	
Profits	10,308.42	
Transfers from Income	203.98	4,332,319.39
Total Receipts and Balance		11,923,991.99

REDUCTIONS:

Transfers to Miscellaneous Assets	800,000.00
Burns Institute Construction	5,868.00

TRANSFERS TO BUILDING FUNDS:

COLORADO CORPORATION:

Chicago	28,000.00	
Greenville	196,076.46	
Intermountain	7,000.00	
Portland	188,615.67	
St. Louis	154,456.16	
Spokane	100,000.00	674,148.29

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION:

Springfield	28,000.00	
Miscellaneous	9.16	1,508,025.45
Balance December 31, 1963		<u>\$10,415,966.54</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION

EXHIBIT A-6

STATEMENT OF OPERATING RESERVE FUND EARNINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Gross Earnings	\$242,657.19
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EXPENSE:

Trustee Fees	\$5,170.00	
Transfer to Principal	203.98	5,373.98
Net Income Deposited in General Fund		<u>\$237,283.21</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-7
HOSPITAL OPERATING FUNDS
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Chicago</u>	<u>Greenville</u>	<u>Honolulu</u>	<u>Inter- mountain</u>	<u>Lexington</u>	<u>Los Angeles</u>	<u>Philadelphia</u>	<u>Portland</u>	<u>St. Louis</u>	<u>San Francisco</u>	<u>Shreveport</u>	<u>Spokane</u>	<u>Twin Cities</u>
REVENUE:														
From General Fund	\$6,017,404.74	\$498,781.16	\$425,963.54	\$300,908.83	\$391,801.83	\$405,700.47	\$514,115.27	\$451,850.75	\$547,037.58	\$747,710.18	\$552,679.90	\$351,730.52	\$339,477.75	\$489,646.96
Total Revenue	\$6,017,404.74	\$498,781.16	\$425,963.54	\$300,908.83	\$391,801.83	\$405,700.47	\$514,115.27	\$451,850.75	\$547,037.58	\$747,710.18	\$552,679.90	\$351,730.52	\$339,477.75	\$489,646.96
EXPENDITURES:														
HOSPITAL EXPENSES:														
Operating Expenses	5,670,451.79	467,570.40	380,912.21	292,742.75	371,272.33	369,941.95	492,881.95	437,672.60	534,928.57	705,197.57	507,725.47	335,297.71	316,017.98	458,290.30
Custodial Expenses	196,074.80	15,879.44	34,607.12	2,599.21	10,110.44	28,367.09	14,175.83	9,347.50	6,214.68	22,521.51	8,061.58	10,902.22	14,122.85	19,165.33
Replacements	97,179.03	10,885.41	8,498.38	2,824.80	7,711.10	6,789.06	2,872.66	2,709.60	2,568.88	3,416.85	30,902.18	5,291.12	4,508.26	8,200.73
Non-Operating Expenses	53,699.12	4,445.91	1,945.83	2,742.07	2,707.96	602.37	4,184.83	2,121.05	3,325.45	16,574.25	5,990.67	239.47	4,828.66	3,990.60
Total	\$6,017,404.74	\$498,781.16	\$425,963.54	\$300,908.83	\$391,801.83	\$405,700.47	\$514,115.27	\$451,850.75	\$547,037.58	\$747,710.18	\$552,679.90	\$351,730.52	\$339,477.75	\$489,646.96
Disbursed to Donation Funds	(3,194.82)				(295.20)	(102.50)					(2,654.46)	3.00	(145.66)	
Disbursed to Building Funds	1,906.28							172.35			1,733.93			
Total Expenditures	\$6,016,116.20	\$498,781.16	\$425,963.54	\$300,908.83	\$391,506.63	\$405,597.97	\$514,115.27	\$452,023.10	\$547,037.58	\$747,710.18	\$551,759.37	\$351,733.52	\$339,332.09	\$489,646.96
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	1,288.54	-0-	-0-	-0-	295.20	102.50	-0-	(172.35)	-0-	-0-	920.53	(3.00)	145.66	-0-
Balance in Funds January 1, 1963	673,660.88	65,404.95	48,385.07	47,519.94	48,254.61	49,293.76	48,954.70	51,957.19	\$ 30,998.34	\$ 76,722.02	\$ 56,990.33	\$ 54,425.38	\$ 41,122.95	\$ 53,631.64
BALANCE IN FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 1963:														
Cash in Bank	619,026.93	69,352.02	46,501.12	46,678.27	44,785.92	41,610.37	44,139.88	49,691.00	13,615.46	66,633.02	51,212.29	55,119.69	36,523.54	53,164.35
Due from General Fund	55,922.49	(3,947.07)	1,883.95	841.67	3,763.89	7,785.89	4,814.82	2,093.84	17,382.88	10,089.00	6,698.57	(697.31)	4,745.07	467.29
Total	\$ 674,949.42	\$ 65,404.95	\$ 48,385.07	\$ 47,519.94	\$ 48,549.81	\$ 49,396.26	\$ 48,954.70	\$ 51,784.84	\$ 30,998.34	\$ 76,722.02	\$ 57,910.86	\$ 54,422.38	\$ 41,268.61	\$ 53,631.64

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-8
HOSPITAL DONATION FUNDS
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Chicago</u>	<u>Greenville</u>	<u>Honolulu</u>	<u>Inter- mountain</u>	<u>Lexington</u>	<u>Los Angeles</u>	<u>Philadelphia</u>	<u>Portland</u>	<u>St. Louis</u>	<u>San Francisco</u>	<u>Shreveport</u>	<u>Spokane</u>	<u>Twin Cities</u>
RECEIPTS:														
Gifts from Individuals, Etc.	\$ 635,026.57	\$ 78,951.48	\$ 18,760.12	\$11,711.72	\$35,977.54	\$23,944.43	\$ 87,884.58	\$ 43,536.25	\$ 50,796.53	\$ 96,364.55	\$ 88,361.59	\$12,014.28	\$ 33,619.57	\$ 53,103.93
Gifts from Shrine Temples	986,709.21	95,863.51	210,771.68	15,298.75	35,905.13	42,297.94	34,457.71	106,634.71	78,037.53	108,540.78	942.40	65,503.12	66,781.10	125,674.85
Gifts from Masonic Organizations	13,563.69	3,919.09	1,779.51	170.00	958.18	176.00	815.14	1,126.50	820.62	768.93		129.00	2,274.41	626.31
Gifts from Ladies Auxiliaries	204,889.72	24,775.45	14,298.60	5,957.98	5,167.71	8,484.89	25,024.29	8,660.53	23,252.08	11,991.03	7,207.09	6,086.44	14,573.65	49,409.98
Proceeds from Commercial Enterprises	1,191.11		75.10			75.28		33.50		557.09		450.14		
Contributions from Charitable Foundations	52,866.87		21,894.28	2,226.47	293.12	1,050.28	5,150.28	1,658.03	1,950.29	3,740.29	5,670.30	450.31	5,341.91	3,441.31
Interest and Other	15,664.09	9,031.94		3,270.32	295.20		436.33			371.04	900.00		1,359.26	
From Operating Funds	(3,194.82)				(295.20)	(102.50)					(2,654.46)	3.00	(145.66)	
From Building Funds	1,050.63				1,050.63									
Total Receipts	\$1,907,767.07	\$212,541.47	\$267,579.29	\$38,635.24	\$79,352.31	\$75,926.32	\$153,768.33	\$161,649.52	\$154,857.05	\$222,333.71	\$100,426.92	\$84,636.29	\$123,804.24	\$232,256.38
DISBURSEMENTS:														
Transfer to Endowment Funds	1,964,844.17	205,000.00	265,000.00	38,456.75	61,850.63	90,000.00	155,542.40	161,427.99	298,940.00	210,302.09	60,000.00	86,804.31	120,000.00	211,520.00
Excess of Receipts Over Disbursements	(57,077.10)	7,541.47	2,579.29	178.49	17,501.68	(14,073.68)	(1,774.07)	221.53	(144,082.95)	12,031.62	40,426.92	(2,168.02)	3,804.24	20,736.38
Balance in Funds January 1, 1963	320,642.81	5,942.55	11,304.84	520.67	1,857.77	15,180.57	15,722.17	18,739.98	172,142.69	22,431.35	12,133.97	5,510.47	25,438.72	13,717.06
Balance in Funds December 31, 1963	\$263,565.71	\$ 13,484.02	\$ 13,884.13	\$ 699.16	\$19,359.45	\$ 1,106.89	\$ 13,948.10	\$ 18,961.51	\$ 28,059.74	\$ 34,462.97	\$ 52,560.89	\$ 3,342.45	\$ 29,242.96	\$ 34,453.44

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-9
HOSPITAL BUILDING FUNDS
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	Total	Chicago	Greenville	Honolulu	Inter- mountain	Lexington	Los Angeles	Philadelphia	Portland	St. Louis	San Francisco	Shreveport	Spokane	Twin Cities
REVENUE:														
From Operating Reserve Fund	\$ 674,148.29	\$ 28,000.00	\$196,076.46		\$ 7,000.00				\$188,615.67	\$ 154,456.16			\$100,000.00	
From General Fund	114,573.83	5,396.51	25,591.25	526.40	11,372.78	3,675.89	\$6,993.80	7,528.69	19,208.07	7,455.41	7,461.51	1,093.18	17,730.99	539.35
From Louderman Trust	121,431.62									121,431.62				
From Operating Funds	1,906.28							172.35			1,733.93			
Total Revenue	\$ 912,060.02	\$ 33,396.51	\$221,667.71	\$ 526.40	\$ 18,372.78	\$3,675.89	\$6,993.80	\$7,701.04	\$207,823.74	\$ 283,343.19	\$9,195.44	\$1,093.18	\$117,730.99	\$ 539.35
EXPENDITURES:														
Real Estate	75,724.88	3,981.40	850.00					139.25		70,754.23				
Buildings	4,056,190.52		9,175.73		156,281.79				91.00	3,798,296.37	2,497.05		9,096.88	80,751.70
Equipment	171,166.26	1,415.11	15,823.13	526.40	7,950.61	3,876.03	6,993.80	7,389.44	19,657.17	83,559.51	4,964.46	1,093.18	8,634.11	9,283.31
Construction Not Completed	(3,237,511.11)	194,984.65	195,726.97	20,029.04	(124,990.43)				77,256.50	(3,620,465.41)			67,631.72	(47,684.15)
Total	\$1,065,570.55	\$200,381.16	\$221,575.83	\$ 20,555.44	\$ 39,241.97	\$3,876.03	\$6,993.80	\$7,528.69	\$ 97,004.67	\$ 332,144.70	\$7,461.51	\$1,093.18	\$ 85,362.71	\$42,350.86
Disbursed to Donation Funds	1,050.63				1,050.63									
Total Expenditures	\$1,066,621.18	\$200,381.16	\$221,575.83	\$ 20,555.44	\$ 40,292.60	\$3,876.03	\$6,993.80	\$7,528.69	\$ 97,004.67	\$ 332,144.70	\$7,461.51	\$1,093.18	\$ 85,362.71	\$42,350.86
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	(154,561.16)	(166,984.65)	91.88	(20,029.04)	(21,919.82)	(200.14)	-0-	172.35	110,819.07	(48,801.51)	1,733.93	-0-	32,368.28	(41,811.51)
Building Funds Balance January 1, 1963	521,838.93	193,219.63	20,448.90	130,076.52	26,520.53	3,534.75	-0-	1,996.28	-0-	59,507.19	5,171.73	2,331.88	-0-	79,031.52
BUILDING FUNDS BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1963:														
Cash in Banks	266,652.77	26,234.98	20,540.78	9,422.48	4,600.71	3,334.61		2,168.63	110,819.07	10,705.68	6,905.66	2,331.88	32,368.28	37,220.01
Time Deposits	100,625.00			100,625.00										
Total	\$ 367,277.77	\$ 26,234.98	\$ 20,540.78	\$110,047.48	\$ 4,600.71	\$3,334.61	-0-	\$2,168.63	\$110,819.07	\$ 10,705.68	\$6,905.66	\$2,331.88	\$ 32,368.28	\$37,220.01

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-10
STATEMENT OF PLANT ASSETS
DECEMBER 31, 1963

	Total	Chicago	Greenville	Honolulu	Inter- mountain	Lexington	Los Angeles	Philadelphia	Portland	St. Louis	San Francisco	Shreveport	Spokane	Twin Cities
PLANT ASSETS:														
Real Estate	\$ 1,012,060.79	\$ 129,762.04	\$ 34,675.80	\$117,337.03	\$ 48,465.87	\$ 181,168.56	\$ 70,955.61	\$ 53,929.89	\$ 69,850.11	\$ 108,827.79	\$ 79,616.51	\$ 55,434.46	\$ 11,071.10	\$ 50,966.02
Buildings	16,826,657.76	681,335.99	660,262.57	332,077.44	1,364,466.46	1,074,361.70	2,153,912.47	1,989,300.09	1,338,910.28	3,798,296.37	1,071,220.20	944,106.62	431,425.01	986,982.56
Equipment	2,658,961.75	142,467.92	166,812.97	100,816.12	223,584.93	154,457.29	400,145.57	283,498.02	204,047.25	244,309.54	122,850.56	200,217.18	171,845.12	243,909.28
Construction in Progress	835,410.68	376,765.02	278,609.20	29,952.52					82,452.22				67,631.72	
Total	\$21,333,090.98	\$1,330,330.97	\$1,140,360.54	\$580,183.11	\$1,636,517.26	\$1,409,987.55	\$2,625,013.65	\$2,326,728.00	\$1,695,259.86	\$4,151,433.70	\$1,273,687.27	\$1,199,758.26	\$681,972.95	\$1,281,857.86
INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS:														
Hospital Units	\$21,333,090.98	\$1,330,330.97	\$1,140,360.54	\$580,183.11	\$1,636,517.26	\$1,409,987.55	\$2,625,013.65	\$2,326,728.00	\$1,695,259.86	\$4,151,433.70	\$1,273,687.27	\$1,199,758.26	\$681,972.95	\$1,281,857.86

EXHIBIT A-11
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	Total	Chicago	Greenville	Honolulu	Inter- mountain	Lexington	Los Angeles	Philadelphia	Portland	St. Louis	San Francisco	Shreveport	Spokane	Twin Cities
INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS:														
January 1, 1963	\$21,064,493.76	\$1,129,949.81	\$ 918,784.71	\$559,627.67	\$1,597,275.29	\$1,406,111.52	\$2,618,019.85	\$2,321,446.39	\$1,598,255.19	\$4,614,015.25	\$1,266,225.76	\$1,198,665.08	\$596,610.24	\$1,239,507.00
ADDITIONS:														
From Building Funds	1,065,570.55	200,381.16	221,575.83	20,555.44	39,241.97	3,876.03	6,993.80	7,528.69	97,004.67	332,144.70	7,461.51	1,093.18	85,362.71	42,350.86
REDUCTIONS	796,973.33	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	2,247.08 (2)	-0-	794,726.25 (1)	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS:														
December 31, 1963	\$21,333,090.98	\$1,330,330.97	\$1,140,360.54	\$580,183.11	\$1,636,517.26	\$1,409,987.55	\$2,625,013.65	\$2,326,728.00	\$1,695,259.86	\$4,151,433.70	\$1,273,687.27	\$1,199,758.26	\$681,972.95	\$1,281,857.86

(1) Includes cost of old St. Louis Building sold of \$794,376.55.

(2) Cost of land condemned by City of Philadelphia.

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-12
SHRINERS BURNS INSTITUTE OF SHRINERS HOSPITALS
FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN
CALVESTON UNIT
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:	
From General Fund	\$50,000.00
EXPENDITURES:	
Salaries	\$ 5,108.66
Travel	411.02
Photography and Art	180.79
Fringe and Retirement Benefits	192.78
Miscellaneous	2.00
Patient Care	9,978.65
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	34,126.10
BALANCE IN FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 1963:	
Cash in Bank	38,000.00
Cash in Bank, Agency Account	10,787.58
TOTAL	\$48,787.58
Accounts Payable	\$14,661.48
	<u><u>\$34,126.10</u></u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-13
CUSTODIAL FUNDS, SPECIAL PURPOSE FUNDS, AND
MISCELLANEOUS ASSETS
CORPUS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Special Purpose Funds</i>	<i>Custodial Funds and Miscellaneous Assets</i>
Cash Uninvested	\$ 143,169.60	\$ 142,056.52	\$ 1,113.08
Cash--Savings	32,714.63	8,042.33	24,672.30
Due from General Fund	96,558.93		96,558.93
SECURITIES:			
Government Bonds	241,498.70	225,075.31	16,423.39
Bonds	877,018.67	876,346.70	671.97
Stocks	4,502,743.50	4,328,524.24	174,219.26
Common Trust Funds	118,149.97	118,149.97	
Mortgages	1,373,241.92	169,887.25	1,203,354.67
Real Estate	1,192,918.53	71,206.54	1,121,711.99
Jewelry	4,828.00		4,828.00
Miscellaneous	18,981.39	5,900.46	13,080.93
TOTAL ASSETS	\$8,601,823.84	\$5,945,189.32	\$2,656,634.52
Approximate Market Value	<u><u>\$9,382,236.52</u></u>	<u><u>\$6,567,785.94</u></u>	<u><u>\$2,814,540.58</u></u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
Corpus Balance	<u><u>\$8,601,823.84</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,945,189.32</u></u>	<u><u>\$2,656,634.52</u></u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u><u>\$8,601,823.84</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,945,189.32</u></u>	<u><u>\$2,656,634.52</u></u>

SHRINERS HOSPITALS

COLORADO CORPORATION

EXHIBIT A-14

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Fund Balances January 1, 1963	<u>\$5,183,470.39</u>	<u>\$3,536,484.20</u>	<u>\$1,646,986.19</u>
ADDITIONS:			
Bequests	2,723,676.64	2,112,507.68	611,168.96
Donations	53,996.03	50,128.28	3,867.75
Depreciation Funded	1,231.80		1,231.80
Transfers from Custodials	-0-	158,404.94	(158,404.94)
Transfer from California Corporation Custodials	11.89	11.89	
Transfers from Income	121,355.29	39,371.99	81,983.30
Transfer from Operating Reserve Fund	800,000.00		800,000.00
Miscellaneous	603.96	416.46	187.50
Profit	122,524.74	49,784.34	72,740.40
	<u>\$3,823,400.35</u>	<u>\$2,410,625.58</u>	<u>\$1,412,774.77</u>
REDUCTIONS:			
Transfers to General Fund for Transfer to Endowments	389,519.99		389,519.99
Transfers to Endowments--Massachusetts Corporation	1,350.00		1,350.00
Miscellaneous	14,176.91	1,920.46	12,256.45
	<u>\$ 405,046.90</u>	<u>\$ 1,920.46</u>	<u>\$ 403,126.44</u>
Fund Balances December 31, 1963	<u>\$8,601,823.84</u>	<u>\$5,945,189.32</u>	<u>\$2,656,634.52</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION

EXHIBIT A-15

CUSTODIAL FUNDS, SPECIAL PURPOSE FUNDS, AND
MISCELLANEOUS ASSETSINCOME FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

	Total	Special Purpose Funds	Custodial Funds and Miscellaneous Assets
Cash in Banks	\$ 2,080.81		\$ 2,080.81
Due from General Fund	38,085.92		38,085.92
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$40,166.73</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>\$40,166.73</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
Due to Donors and Beneficiaries	\$ 1,897.69		\$ 1,897.69
Income Balance	38,269.04		38,269.04
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$40,166.73</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>\$40,166.73</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-16
STATEMENT OF CUSTODIAL FUNDS, SPECIAL PURPOSE FUNDS
AND MISCELLANEOUS ASSETS INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Gross Earnings	\$320,196.39	\$174,561.86	\$145,634.53
Less: Due from Trustee Banks	1,352.84	1,352.84	
TOTAL	\$318,843.55	\$173,209.02	\$145,634.53
EXPENSE:			
Taxes, Insurance, Etc.	\$ 28,137.36	\$ 38.92	\$ 28,098.44
Depreciation	1,231.80		1,231.80
Transfers to General Fund for Transfer to Principal and to Units	31,139.64	31,139.64	
Transfers to Principal	121,355.29	39,371.99	81,983.30
Transfers to General Fund for Special Purposes	102,658.47	102,658.47	
Transfers to General Fund for Operations	26,542.59		26,542.59
Paid to Donors and Beneficiaries	5,885.33		5,885.33
TOTAL	\$316,950.48	\$173,209.02	\$143,741.46
Excess of Income Over Expense	1,893.07	-0-	1,893.07
Income Funds (Deficit) January 1, 1963	36,375.97	-0-	36,375.97
Income Funds December 31, 1963	<u>\$ 38,269.04</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>\$ 38,269.04</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-17
RETIREMENT FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Employees' Retirement Fund</i>	<i>Surgeons' Retirement Fund</i>
Cash Uninvested	\$ 105,261.32	\$ 104,415.37	\$ 845.95
SECURITIES:			
Government Bonds	427,645.19	425,658.45	1,986.74
Other Bonds	995,820.50	948,320.50	47,500.00
Stocks	1,764,758.48	1,280,976.86	483,781.62
	<u>\$3,188,224.17</u>	<u>\$2,654,955.81</u>	<u>\$533,268.36</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,293,485.49	\$2,759,371.18	\$534,114.31
Approximate Market Value	<u>\$3,390,827.45</u>	<u>\$2,798,483.00</u>	<u>\$592,344.45</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Fund Balances	<u>\$3,293,485.49</u>	<u>\$2,759,371.18</u>	<u>\$534,114.31</u>
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COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-18
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Balance January 1, 1963	\$3,007,650.44	\$2,194,532.38	\$813,118.06
ADDITIONS:			
Profits	2,589.86	565.40	2,024.46
Transfer from Income	242.44	242.44	
Transfer from Surgeons' Retirement Fund	-0-	281,025.14	(281,025.14)
Transfer from General Fund	283,009.94	283,009.94	
	<u>285,842.24</u>	<u>564,842.92</u>	<u>(279,000.68)</u>
REDUCTIONS:			
Miscellaneous	7.19	4.12	3.07
Balance December 31, 1963	<u>\$3,293,485.49</u>	<u>\$2,759,371.18</u>	<u>\$534,114.31</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-19
STATEMENT OF RETIREMENT FUND INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Employees' Retirement Fund</i>	<i>Surgeons' Retirement Fund</i>
INCOME:			
Gross Earnings from Investments	\$123,340.73	\$ 92,036.28	\$31,304.45
Earnings from Short Term Investments	1,543.40	1,543.40	
Premium Dividends	31,392.00	26,526.24	4,865.76
Group Life Reimbursement from General Fund and Imperial Council	23,882.35	21,748.57	2,133.78
TOTAL	<u>\$180,158.48</u>	<u>\$141,854.49</u>	<u>\$38,303.99</u>
EXPENSE:			
Retirement Payments	185,982.65	161,759.05	24,223.60
Group Life Insurance Premiums	53,786.98	46,787.44	6,999.54
Premium on Life of Secretary	3,165.50	3,165.50	
Pension Engineers	2,000.00	1,500.00	500.00
Trustee Fees	5,816.50	4,241.50	1,575.00
Transfer to Principal	242.44	242.44	
TOTAL	<u>\$250,994.07</u>	<u>\$217,695.93</u>	<u>\$33,298.14</u>
Excess of Income Over Expense	(70,835.59)	(75,841.44)	5,005.85
Income Balances January 1, 1963	172,544.45	144,404.77	28,139.68
INCOME BALANCES DECEMBER 31, 1963:			
Cash in Bank	56,680.22	35,863.91	20,816.31
Due from General Fund	2,914.50	780.72	2,133.78
Due from Imperial Council	1,487.37	1,487.37	
Due from Banks	40,626.77	30,431.33	10,195.44
TOTAL	<u>\$101,708.86</u>	<u>\$ 68,563.33</u>	<u>\$33,145.53</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION
EXHIBIT A-20
ENDOWMENT FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S		
Cash Uninvested		\$ 1,054,218.71
Cash—Savings		602,457.22
SECURITIES:		
Government Bonds	\$16,765,729.14	
Other Bonds	49,090,861.40	
Stocks	67,684,788.90	
Common Trust Funds	9,005,943.37	142,547,322.81
Mortgages		15,299,387.34
Real Estate		643,959.48
Miscellaneous		46,688.24
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>\$160,194,033.80</u>
FUND BALANCES		
General Endowments		\$127,625,023.59
Permanent Endowments		13,544,158.22
Life Memberships		19,024,851.99
TOTAL FUND BALANCES		<u>\$160,194,033.80</u>
Note: Approximate market value of endowment funds at December 31, 1963 amounts to \$200,803,161.43.		

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EXHIBIT A-21

STATEMENT OF ENDOWMENT FUND BALANCES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Fund Balances January 1, 1963	\$143,793,736.41
Add: Funds Held in General Fund for Transfer to Endowments at Beginning of Year	391,307.49
TOTAL	<u>\$144,185,043.90</u>

ADDITIONS:

Bequests	\$12,596,808.75	
Donations	945,558.57	
Insurance Benefits	10,523.87	
Life Memberships	172,138.79	
From Donation Funds	1,964,844.17	
From Custodial Funds and Miscellaneous Assets	433,483.46	
From Income Trusts	22,692.13	
Transfers from Income	1,382.29	
Royalties	2,842.23	
Profit	1,033,752.56	
	<u>\$17,184,026.82</u>	
Deduct: Funds Held in General Fund for Transfer at End of Year	1,173,736.30	16,010,290.52
		<u>\$160,195,334.42</u>

REDUCTIONS:

Miscellaneous	1,300.62
Fund Balances December 31, 1963	<u>\$160,194,033.80</u>

COLORADO CORPORATION

EXHIBIT A-22

STATEMENT OF ENDOWMENT FUND EARNINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Gross Earnings	\$6,947,807.03	
Less: Due from Trustee Banks	26,737.67	\$6,921,069.36

EXPENSE:

Trustee Fees	446,098.80	
Taxes	14,724.07	
Miscellaneous	3,325.65	
Transfers to Principal	1,382.29	465,530.81

NET EARNINGS REMITTED TO GENERAL FUND:

From Permanent Endowments	566,316.71	
From Life Memberships	770,153.69	
From General Endowments	<u>5,119,068.15</u>	<u>\$6,455,538.55</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-1
ALL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

ASSETS

GENERAL FUND:			
Cash in Bank	\$	16,991.24	
Accounts Receivable		<u>62,062.52</u>	
TOTAL			\$79,053.76
HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING, DONATION AND BUILDING FUNDS:			
OPERATING FUNDS:			
Cash	\$90,649.31		
Due from General Fund	<u>8,424.83</u>	99,074.14	
Donation Funds Cash		<u>22,210.37</u>	
Building Funds Cash		<u>54,740.14</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 176,024.65
CUSTODIAL FUND:			
CORPUS:			
Cash	32.00		
Miscellaneous	<u>6.00</u>	38.00	
INCOME:			
Cash		<u>37.45</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 75.45
ENDOWMENT FUNDS: (1)			
Cash	20,574.02		
Securities	<u>4,361,275.07</u>		
Other	<u>530,954.20</u>		
TOTAL			\$4,912,803.29
PLANT ASSETS:			
Real Estate	145,242.60		
Buildings	<u>1,741,753.65</u>		
Equipment	<u>350,243.54</u>		
TOTAL		<u>\$2,237,239.79</u>	
TOTAL ASSETS			<u>\$7,405,196.94</u>

(1) Market Values Shown on Exhibit B-12

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

GENERAL FUND			
Due to Hospital Operating Funds	\$	8,424.93	
Due to Colorado Corporation General Fund		<u>70,064.83</u>	
Other Payables		<u>564.10</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 79,053.76
HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING, DONATION AND BUILDING FUNDS:			
Operating Fund Balances		99,074.14	
Donation Fund Balances		<u>22,210.37</u>	
Building Fund Balances		<u>54,740.14</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 176,024.65
CUSTODIAL FUND:			
CORPUS			
Fund Balance		38.00	
INCOME:			
Fund Balance		<u>37.45</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 75.45
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:			
Permanent Endowments		425,943.21	
General Endowments		<u>4,486,860.08</u>	
TOTAL			\$4,912,803.29
PLANT ASSETS:			
Investment in Hospital Plant Assets			\$2,237,239.79
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			<u>\$7,405,196.94</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-2
GENERAL FUND
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

Cash in Bank	\$ 16,991.24
Income Due from Banks and Others	60,861.25
Advances on Estates	1,201.27
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 79,053.76

LIABILITIES

Due to Hospital Operating Funds	8,424.83
Due to Colorado Corporation General Fund	70,064.83
Other Payables	564.10
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 79,053.76

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-3
STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND REVENUE
AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:

INVESTMENT INCOME:

Permanent Endowments	\$ 18,906.31	
Income Trusts	6,727.54	
General Endowments	193,266.61	
Other	597.35	\$ 219,497.81
Collection and Exchange		36,949.99
Transfer from Colorado Corporation General Fund		448,078.73
TOTAL		\$ 704,526.53

EXPENDITURES:

Disbursed to Hospital Units	\$ 704,526.53
TOTAL	\$ 704,526.53

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-4
HOSPITAL OPERATING FUNDS
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Montreal</i>	<i>Winnipeg</i>
REVENUE:			
From General Fund	\$704,309.57	\$383,440.66	\$320,868.91
From Donation Funds	4,420.32	1,005.37	3,414.95
From Building Funds	3,723.22		3,723.22
TOTAL REVENUE	\$712,453.11	\$384,446.03	\$328,007.08
EXPENDITURES:			
HOSPITAL EXPENSES:			
Operating Expenses	666,107.30	361,115.92	304,991.38
Custodial Expenses	23,726.77	18,069.39	5,657.38
Replacements	12,159.56	3,124.97	9,034.59
Non-Operating Expenses	2,315.94	1,130.38	1,185.56
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$704,309.57	\$383,440.66	\$320,868.91
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	8,143.54	1,005.37	7,138.17
Balance in Funds January 1, 1963	90,930.60	49,892.98	41,037.62
BALANCE IN FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 1963:			
Cash in Banks	90,649.31	48,884.98	41,764.33
Due from General Fund	8,424.83	2,013.37	6,411.46
TOTAL	\$ 99,074.14	\$ 50,898.35	\$ 48,175.79

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CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-5
HOSPITAL DONATION FUNDS
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Montreal</u>	<u>Winnipeg</u>
RECEIPTS:			
Gifts from Individuals, Etc.	\$ 41,709.39	\$ 14,893.64	\$ 26,815.75
Gifts from Shrine Temples	111,701.18	63,531.78	48,169.40
Gifts from Masonic Organizations	3,678.72	3,531.01	147.71
Gifts from Ladies Auxiliaries	14,616.57	6,286.15	8,330.42
Contributions from Charitable Foundations	821.60	450.28	371.32
Interest, Etc.	3,294.89	1,840.06	1,454.83
TOTAL RECEIPTS	<u>\$ 175,822.35</u>	<u>\$ 90,532.92</u>	<u>\$ 85,289.43</u>
DISBURSEMENTS:			
Transfers to Endowment Funds	172,238.28	90,500.00	81,738.28
To Operating Funds	4,420.32	1,005.37	3,414.95
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	<u>\$ 176,658.60</u>	<u>\$ 91,505.37</u>	<u>\$ 85,153.23</u>
Excess of Receipts Over Disbursements	(836.25)	(972.45)	136.20
Balance in Funds January 1, 1963	23,046.62	3,292.48	19,754.14
Balance in Funds December 31, 1963	<u>\$ 22,210.37</u>	<u>\$ 2,320.03</u>	<u>\$ 19,890.34</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-6
HOSPITAL BUILDING FUNDS
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:			
From General Fund	\$ 216.96	\$ 216.96	
From Operating Funds	(3,723.22)		(\$ 3,723.22)
TOTAL REVENUE	<u>(\$ 3,506.26)</u>	<u>\$ 216.96</u>	<u>(\$ 3,723.22)</u>
EXPENDITURES:			
Real Estate	31,076.59	26,715.85	4,360.74
Buildings	931,983.43	438,353.87	493,629.56
Equipment	81,222.26	47,596.44	33,625.82
Construction Not Completed	(1,020,027.50)	(493,638.40)	(526,389.10)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ 24,254.78</u>	<u>\$ 19,027.76</u>	<u>\$ 5,227.02</u>
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditure	(27,761.04)	(18,810.80)	(8,950.24)
Building Funds Balance January 1, 1963	82,501.18	18,890.28	63,610.90
Building Funds Balance December 31, 1963	<u>\$ 54,740.14</u>	<u>\$ 79.48</u>	<u>\$ 54,660.66</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-7
STATEMENT OF PLANT ASSETS
DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Montreal</u>	<u>Winnipeg</u>
PLANT ASSETS:			
Real Estate	\$ 145,242.60	\$ 115,365.32	\$ 29,877.28
Buildings	1,741,753.65	816,967.12	924,786.53
Equipment	350,243.54	156,031.68	194,211.86
TOTAL	<u>\$2,237,239.79</u>	<u>\$1,088,364.12</u>	<u>\$1,148,875.67</u>
INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS:			
Hospital Units	<u>\$2,237,239.79</u>	<u>\$1,088,364.12</u>	<u>\$1,148,875.67</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-8
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Investment in Plant Assets			
January 1, 1963	\$2,212,985.01	\$1,069,336.36	\$1,143,648.65
ADDITIONS:			
From Building Funds	24,254.78	19,027.76	\$ 5,227.02
Investment in Plant Assets			
December 31, 1963	<u>\$2,237,239.79</u>	<u>\$1,088,364.12</u>	<u>\$1,148,875.67</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-9
CUSTODIAL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

Cash in Bank	\$32.00
Mineral Rights	6.00
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$38.00</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE

Fund Balance	<u>\$38.00</u>
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CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-10
STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Fund Balance January 1, 1963	\$54.00
ADDITIONS:	
Bequests	2.00
	<u>\$56.00</u>
REDUCTIONS:	
Transfer to Income	18.00
Fund Balance December 31, 1963	<u>\$38.00</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-11
STATEMENT OF CUSTODIAL FUNDS INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

INCOME:	
Miscellaneous	\$54.05
Transfer from Principal	18.00
	<u>\$72.05</u>
EXPENSE:	
Taxes	29.80
Excess of Income Over Expense	\$42.25
Income Funds January 1, 1963	(4.80)
Income Funds December 31, 1963	<u>\$37.45</u>

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CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-12
ENDOWMENT FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S	
Cash Uninvested	\$ 20,574.02
SECURITIES:	
Government Bonds	\$ 648,829.68
Other Bonds	2,234,075.03
Stocks	1,478,370.36
Mortgages	529,741.20
Real Estate	1,206.00
Miscellaneous	7.00
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$4,912,803.29</u>
FUND BALANCES	
General Endowments	\$4,486,860.08
Permanent Endowments	425,943.21
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	<u>\$4,912,803.29</u>
Note: Approximate market value of endowment funds at December 31, 1963 amounts to \$5,073,828.46.	

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-13
STATEMENT OF ENDOWMENT FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Balance January 1, 1963	\$4,482,293.22
Add: Funds Held in General Fund for Transfer to Endowments at Beginning of Year	12,500.00
TOTAL	<u>\$4,494,793.22</u>
ADDITIONS:	
Bequests	\$197,947.09
Donations	33,523.31
From Hospital Donation Funds	172,238.28
Profit	14,416.59
TOTAL ENDOWMENT RECEIPTS	\$418,125.27
Deduct: Funds Held in General Fund for Transfer at End of Year	-0-
TOTAL	<u>\$4,912,918.49</u>
REDUCTIONS:	
Miscellaneous	115.20
Balance December 31, 1963	<u>\$4,912,803.29</u>

CANADIAN CORPORATION
EXHIBIT B-14
STATEMENT OF ENDOWMENT FUND EARNINGS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Gross Earnings	\$221,146.66	
Add: Due to Trustee Banks	325.70	\$ 221,472.36
EXPENSE:		
Trustee Fees	8,695.52	
Miscellaneous	603.92	\$ 9,299.44
NET EARNINGS REMITTED TO GENERAL FUND:		
From Permanent Endowments	18,906.31	
From General Endowments	193,266.61	<u>\$ 212,172.92</u>

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-1
ALL FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

GENERAL FUND:			
Cash in Bank	\$	50,220.78	
Accounts Receivable		131,938.89	
Temporary Investments		<u>199,335.00</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 381,494.67
HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING, DONATION AND BUILDING FUNDS: OPERATING FUND:			
Cash	\$116,817.41		
Due from General Fund	<u>12,570.47</u>	\$	129,387.88
Donation Fund Cash			68,796.41
Building Fund Cash		<u>296.34</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 198,480.63
ENDOWMENT FUNDS: (1)			
Cash and Savings		211,973.25	
Securities		10,201,984.47	
Other		<u>74,681.64</u>	
TOTAL			\$10,488,639.36
PLANT ASSETS:			
Real Estate		50,308.51	
Buildings		900,399.41	
Equipment		<u>260,443.70</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 1,211,151.62
TOTAL ASSETS			<u>\$12,279,766.28</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

GENERAL FUND:			
Due to Hospital Operating Fund	\$	12,570.47	
Due to Colorado Corporation General Fund...		72,608.53	
Due to Colorado Corporation Operating Reserve Fund		46,593.55	
Monies Held for Transfer		<u>249,722.12</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 381,494.67
HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING, DONATION AND BUILDING FUNDS:			
Operating Fund Balance		129,387.88	
Donation Fund Balance		68,796.41	
Building Fund Balance		<u>296.34</u>	
TOTAL			\$ 198,480.63
ENDOWMENT FUNDS:			
Permanent Endowments		1,788,629.77	
General Endowments		<u>8,700,009.59</u>	
TOTAL			\$10,488,639.36
PLANT ASSETS:			
Investment in Hospital Plant Assets			<u>1,211,151.62</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			<u>\$12,279,766.28</u>

(1) Market Values Presented on Exhibit C-9

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MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-2
GENERAL FUND
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S	
Cash in Bank	\$ 50,220.78
Income Due from Banks and Others	131,938.89
Temporary Investments	199,335.00
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$381,494.67</u>
LIABILITIES	
Due to Hospital Operating Fund	\$ 12,570.47
Due to Colorado Corporation General Fund	72,608.53
Due to Colorado Corporation Operating Reserve Fund	46,593.55
Monies Held for Transfer	249,722.12
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>\$381,494.67</u>

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-3
STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND
REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

REVENUE:	
INVESTMENT INCOME:	
Permanent Endowments	\$ 84,983.20
Income Trusts	75,398.32
General Endowments	373,592.07
Other	<u>5,950.53</u>
Transfer from Colorado Corporation General Fund	35,000.00
TOTAL	<u>\$574,924.12</u>
EXPENDITURES:	
Transfer to Colorado Corporation Operating Reserve Fund	\$ 46,593.55
Disbursed to Hospital Unit	528,330.57
TOTAL	<u>\$574,924.12</u>

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-4
HOSPITAL OPERATING FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:		<i>Springfield</i>
From General Fund	\$476,529.01	
From Donation Funds	63,398.24	
TOTAL REVENUE	<u>\$539,927.25</u>	
EXPENDITURES:		
HOSPITAL EXPENSES:		
Operating Expenses	\$446,866.26	
Custodial Expenses	8,514.19	
Replacements	19,063.71	
Non-Operating Expenses	<u>2,084.85</u>	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$476,529.01</u>	
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	\$ 63,398.24	
Balance in Fund January 1, 1963	<u>65,989.64</u>	
BALANCE IN FUND DECEMBER 31, 1963:		
Cash in Bank	\$116,817.41	
Due from General Fund	12,570.47	
TOTAL	<u>\$129,387.88</u>	

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-5
HOSPITAL DONATION FUND
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Springfield

RECEIPTS:

Gifts from Individuals, Etc.	\$ 49,004.25
Gifts from Shrine Temples	45,655.47
Gifts from Masonic Organizations	1,018.50
Gifts from Ladies Auxiliaries	23,828.15
Contributions from Charitable Foundations	6,290.32
Interest, Etc.	723.65
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$126,520.34

DISBURSEMENTS:

Transfer to Endowments	\$ 48,713.91
Transfer to Operating Fund	63,398.24
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$112,112.15
Excess of Receipts Over Disbursements	\$ 14,408.19
Balance in Fund January 1, 1963	54,388.22
Balance in Fund December 31, 1963	\$ 68,796.41

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-6
HOSPITAL BUILDING FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:

From General Fund	\$ 51,801.56
From Operating Reserve Fund	28,000.00
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 79,801.56

EXPENDITURES:

Buildings	\$ 45,164.41
Equipment	34,401.46
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 79,565.87
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	\$ 235.69
Building Fund Balance January 1, 1963	60.65
Building Fund Balance December 31, 1963	\$ 296.34

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-7
STATEMENT OF PLANT ASSETS
DECEMBER 31, 1963

Springfield

PLANT ASSETS:

Real Estate	\$ 50,308.51
Buildings	900,399.41
Equipment	260,443.70
TOTAL	\$1,211,151.62

INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS:

Hospital Unit	\$1,211,151.62
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SHRINERS HOSPITALS

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-8
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN INVESTMENT
IN PLANT ASSETS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Investment in Plant Assets January 1, 1963	\$1,131,585.75
ADDITIONS:	
From Building Fund	79,565.87
Investment in Plant Assets December 31, 1963	<u>\$1,211,151.62</u>

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-9
ENDOWMENT FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S	
Cash Uninvested	\$ 50,923.18
Cash-Savings	161,050.07
SECURITIES:	
Government Bonds	\$1,074,382.83
Other Bonds	3,259,441.47
Stocks	5,768,885.08
Common Trust Funds	99,275.09
Mortgages	74,681.64
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$10,488,639.36</u>
FUND BALANCES	
General Endowments	\$ 8,700,009.59
Permanent Endowments	1,788,629.77
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	<u>\$10,488,639.36</u>
Note: Approximate market value of endowment funds at December 31, 1963 amounts to \$16,105,984.35.	

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-10
STATEMENT OF ENDOWMENT FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Fund Balance January 1, 1963	\$ 9,346,469.68
Add: Funds Held in General Fund for Transfer to Endowments at Beginning of Year	37,945.54
TOTAL	<u>\$ 9,384,415.22</u>
ADDITIONS:	
Bequests	\$1,260,699.91
Donations	12,838.75
From Hospital Donation Fund	48,713.91
From Custodials and Miscellaneous Assets	1,350.00
From Income Trusts	415.53
Profit	29,941.11
TOTAL ENDOWMENT RECEIPTS	<u>1,353,959.21</u>
Deduct: Funds Held in General Fund for Transfer at End of Year	249,722.12
TOTAL	<u>\$ 1,104,237.09</u>
REDUCTIONS:	
Miscellaneous	12.95
Fund Balance December 31, 1963	<u>\$10,488,639.36</u>

MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATION
EXHIBIT C-11
STATEMENT OF ENDOWMENT FUND EARNINGS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Gross Earnings	\$483,948.95	
Less: Due From Trustee Banks	<u>1,153.83</u>	\$482,795.12
EXPENSE:		
Trustee Fees	\$ 24,203.14	
Miscellaneous	<u>16.71</u>	\$ 24,219.85
NET EARNINGS REMITTED TO GENERAL FUND:		
From Permanent Endowments	\$ 84,983.20	
From General Endowments	<u>373,592.07</u>	<u>\$458,575.27</u>

SHRINERS HOSPITALS

MEXICAN CORPORATIONS

EXHIBIT D-1

ALL FUNDS

BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

GENERAL FUND:

Due from Colorado Corporation General Fund		\$ 3,535.03
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HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING AND BUILDING

FUNDS:

OPERATING FUND:

Cash	\$54,205.99	
Due from General Fund	3,535.03	
Other	<u>896.00</u>	\$ 58,637.02

Building Fund Cash		<u>2,176.08</u>
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TOTAL		\$ 60,813.10
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PLANT ASSETS:

Real Estate	\$109,397.37	
Buildings	<u>449,448.06</u>	
Equipment	<u>180,927.51</u>	

TOTAL		\$739,772.94
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TOTAL ASSETS		<u>\$804,121.07</u>
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LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

GENERAL FUND:

Due to Hospital Operating Fund		\$ 3,535.03
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HOSPITAL UNITS' OPERATING AND BUILDING

FUNDS:

Operating Fund Balance	\$ 58,637.02	
Building Fund Balance	<u>2,176.08</u>	\$ 60,813.10

PLANT ASSETS:

Investment in Hospital Plant Assets		739,772.94
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES..		<u>\$804,121.07</u>
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MEXICAN CORPORATIONS

EXHIBIT D-2

GENERAL FUND

BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

Due from Colorado Corporation General Fund	\$3,535.03
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TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$3,535.03</u>
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LIABILITIES

Due to Hospital Operating Fund	\$3,535.03
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>\$3,535.03</u>
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MEXICAN CORPORATIONS

EXHIBIT D-3

STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:

Transfers from Colorado Corporation General Fund	<u>\$220,929.52</u>
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EXPENDITURES:

Disbursed to Hospital Unit	<u>\$220,929.52</u>
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MEXICAN CORPORATIONS
EXHIBIT D-4
HOSPITAL OPERATING FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:	
From General Fund	\$219,715.82
From Donation Fund	7,340.48
TOTAL REVENUE	\$227,056.30
EXPENDITURES:	
HOSPITAL EXPENSES:	
Operating Expenses	202,366.90
Custodial Expenses	15,388.34
Non-Operating Expenses	1,960.58
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$219,715.82
Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures	7,340.48
Balance in Fund January 1, 1963	51,296.54
BALANCE IN FUND DECEMBER 31, 1963:	
Cash in Bank	54,205.99
Due from General Fund	3,535.03
Telephone Stock	896.00
TOTAL	\$ 58,637.02

MEXICAN CORPORATIONS
EXHIBIT D-5
HOSPITAL DONATIONS FUND
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

RECEIPTS:	
Gifts from Individuals, Etc.	\$3,416.58
Gifts from Shrine Temples	2,815.14
Gifts from Ladies Auxiliaries	416.04
Contributions from Charitable Foundations	268.26
Interest, Etc.	424.46
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$7,340.48
DISBURSEMENTS:	
To Operating Fund	7,340.48
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$7,340.48

MEXICAN CORPORATIONS
EXHIBIT D-6
HOSPITAL BUILDING FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

REVENUE:	
From General Fund	\$ 1,213.70
TOTAL REVENUE	1,213.70
EXPENDITURES:	
Building	3,096.60
Equipment	9,402.21
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	12,498.81
Excess of Expenditures Over Revenue	(11,285.11)
Building Fund Balance January 1, 1963	13,461.19
Building Fund Balance December 31, 1963	\$ 2,176.08

SHRINERS HOSPITALS

MEXICAN CORPORATIONS
EXHIBIT D-7
STATEMENT OF PLANT ASSETS
DECEMBER 31, 1963

	<u>Mexico City</u>
PLANT ASSETS:	
Real Estate	\$109,397.37
Building	449,448.06
Equipment	180,927.51
TOTAL	<u>\$739,772.94</u>
INVESTMENT IN PLANT ASSETS:	
Hospital Unit	<u>\$739,772.94</u>

MEXICAN CORPORATIONS
EXHIBIT D-8
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN INVESTMENT
IN PLANT ASSETS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Investment in Plant Assets January 1, 1963	\$727,274.13
ADDITIONS:	
From Building Fund	12,498.81
Investment in Plant Assets December 31, 1963	<u>\$739,772.94</u>

CALIFORNIA CORPORATION
EXHIBIT E-1
CUSTODIAL FUNDS
CORPUS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

Cash—Savings	\$ 2,202.26
SECURITIES:	
Stocks	4,629.64
Real Estate	50,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$56,831.90</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Fund Balances	\$56,831.90
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Note: Approximate Market Value of Securities Amounts to \$6,545.00 at December 31, 1963.

CALIFORNIA CORPORATION
EXHIBIT E-2
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

Balance January 1, 1963	\$56,641.53
ADDITIONS:	
Transfer from Income	202.26
	<u>\$56,843.79</u>
REDUCTIONS:	
Transfer to Colorado Corporation Special Purpose Funds	11.89
Balance December 31, 1963	<u><u>\$56,831.90</u></u>

CALIFORNIA CORPORATION
EXHIBIT E-3
CUSTODIAL FUNDS
INCOME FUNDS
BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1963

A S S E T S

Cash in Bank	\$840.48
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$840.48</u>

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Income Fund Balances	<u><u>\$840.48</u></u>
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CALIFORNIA CORPORATION
EXHIBIT E-4
STATEMENT OF CUSTODIAL FUND INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1963

INCOME:	
Dividends	\$ 181.06
Rents	4,434.00
Interest	202.26
TOTAL	<u>\$4,817.32</u>
EXPENSE:	
Taxes, Repair, etc	2,543.60
Paid to Beneficiaries	2,400.00
Transfer to Principal	202.26
TOTAL	<u>\$5,145.86</u>
Excess of Income Over Expense	(328.54)
Income Funds January 1, 1963	1,169.02
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**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
AND
BY-LAWS OF
SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR
CRIPPLED CHILDREN**

A COLORADO CORPORATION

JULY 24, 1964

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF SHRINERS HOSPITALS
FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN, AS AMENDED, FORMERLY
KNOWN AS THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE
ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF
THE MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA.

(A Colorado Corporation)

ARTICLE I.

The corporate name and style of our said corporation shall be
SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN.

ARTICLE II.

The objects for which our said corporation is formed and incorporated are:

To do any and all of the things herein set forth:

To maintain, control, conduct and superintend any and all charities, benevolences and Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children established, maintained, owned and controlled by this Corporation prior to its change of name from THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ANCIENT ARABIC ORDER OF THE NOBLES OF THE MYSTIC SHRINE FOR NORTH AMERICA to SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN, or which may now or hereafter be established by SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN or any subsidiary or affiliated corporation thereof.

To purchase, or otherwise acquire, to have, hold, lease, mortgage, or otherwise create liens on, to sell, convey, exchange, transfer, assign or let on lease, or in any other manner whatsoever to acquire and dispose of, real and personal property necessary or convenient in carrying out any of the purposes of this corporation, without restriction as to place, state or country. To erect thereon, to construct, maintain, and operate, hospitals and other eleemosynary institutions for the treatment of curable crippled children, wholly free of charge to said children, parents or guardians, and without regard to race, color, creed, sex or sect, and no pay patient shall be received, and other purposes, under such regulations and such restrictions as may from time to time be adopted by the corporation, and to purchase, erect, construct, maintain and operate, such hospitals or other similar institutions, in any state of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Hawaiian Islands, the Canal Zone, the Dominion of Canada and the Republic of Mexico.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION (COLORADO)

To create and maintain a charitable and educational fund, a fund for the purchase, erection, operation and maintenance of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, and other benevolences, and any other fund or trust necessary or convenient in carrying out any of the purposes, benevolences and charities now established, or which may be hereafter authorized by the corporation.

To accept and receive gifts, devices, bequests, donations, annuities and endowments, of real and personal property, and to use, hold and enjoy the same, both as to principal and income, and invest and reinvest the same, or any part thereof, for the furtherance of any of the objects, interests, or purposes of the corporation, as hereinbefore stated, or such as may hereafter be authorized. This is a non-stock, non-profit corporation. No member of the corporation shall receive any profits from its operations. The property, subject to the provisions herein contained, is irrevocably dedicated to religious, charitable, scientific, or hospital purposes and upon the liquidation, dissolution or abandonment of the owner, no part of the property will inure to the benefit of any private person except a fund, foundation or corporation organized and operated for religious, hospital, scientific, or charitable purposes.

And with power to use and exercise all the powers, rights and privileges incidental to charitable and benevolent corporations organized for purposes other than pecuniary profit, and which are usually exercised by charitable and benevolent organizations.

And it is intended that the powers specified and clauses contained in the foregoing paragraphs shall in no wise limit or restrict, by reference to or inference from, the terms of any other clause of this or any other paragraph in these Articles, but the powers specified in each of the several clauses of this paragraph shall be regarded as independent powers and purposes.

ARTICLE III.

Board of Directors.

The Directors of the corporation shall consist of Alfred G. Arvold, Wm. H. Woodfield, Jr., George H. Rowe, Karl Rex Hammers, Galloway Calhoun, Leonard P. Steuart, Everett W. Jacocks, William Heim, Harold Lloyd, Hubert M. Poteat, Roland D. Baldwin, Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Harvey A. Beffa, Morley E. MacKenzie, W. Freeland Kendrick, and their successors, or other

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION (COLORADO)

members elected at the annual meetings of the corporation, as provided by the by-laws, and said Board of Directors shall have control, authority and management of all of the business affairs of the corporation, except only as conferred and delegated, as provided by the by-laws.

The corporation shall have power to, and elect such executive committee or committees, and trustees as may be necessary for the operation of any of its benevolences, having and exercising the powers and duties of the corporation only with respect to the operation and maintenance of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children between the annual meetings of the corporation, and as provided by the by-laws of the corporation.

ARTICLE IV.

By-Laws.

The members of said corporation shall have power, from time to time, to make such prudential by-laws as they shall deem proper for the management of the affairs of said corporation, not in conflict, however, with the laws of the United States or the State of Colorado.

ARTICLE V.

Principal Place of Business and Place of Meetings.

The principal office or place of business of this corporation may be such place in the United States as the members of said corporation may designate.

The principal place of business in Colorado shall be in the City of Denver, and its office therein shall be the office of the Recorder of El Jebel Temple in said city, and Schuyler C. Peck, and his successor in said office, is hereby designated as the Resident Agent upon whom service of process may be made.

The corporation, or any board of said corporation, may hold meetings within or without the State of Colorado.

ARTICLE VI.

Officers.

The officers of said corporation shall be Chairman of the Board of Directors, President, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Treasurer and Secretary, or such other officers as may be

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provided by the by-laws, said officers to be elected at each annual meeting of the corporation.

ARTICLE VII.

Membership.

The members of said corporation shall consist of the present members of this corporation and such other persons as are elected as such as provided by its by-laws.

ARTICLE VIII.

The said corporation shall hold an annual meeting at such time and place, either within or without the State of Colorado, as may be designated by the corporation, for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of such other business as shall be necessary for the carrying out of the purposes of the corporation.

BY-LAWS
of
SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN,
A COLORADO CORPORATION

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ARTICLE 1***General Provisions***

§ 501.1 **Definitions.** Whenever used in these By-laws, unless otherwise specifically mentioned, the following words, terms and phrases mean:

(a) "Temple" means any Temple chartered by or under dispensation of The Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America.

(b) "Noble" means any member in good standing of any Temple.

(c) "Imperial" when used as a part of the title of an officer means the officers of The Imperial Council of The Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America.

(d) "Hospitals" means Shriners Hospitals for the treatment and care of children afflicted with crippling diseases, deformities, or dangerously acute burns, and the research facilities and training programs related thereto, operated by this corporation.

(e) "Corporation" means this corporation and includes all affiliated or appendant corporations existing or operated as a part of the charitable enterprises of this corporation.

(f) "Singular" includes the plural and plural includes the singular as the context requires or permits.

§ 501.2 **Amendments.**

(a) *Time of Presentation.* A proposed amendment to these By-laws may not be adopted by this corporation unless it first has been sent by a member to the Secretary, in writing and in the form proposed, at least 60 days before the meeting of the corporation at which it is to be submitted; and every proposed amendment shall be included in the notice of the meeting. The Chairman of the Board of Directors or of the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee may submit proposed amendments for adoption at any time during a meeting, but, if time permits, each member shall have furnished to him a printed copy of such amendments at the beginning of each session in which they are to be introduced.

(b) *Form of Amendment.* Notice concerning a proposed amendment must be given in such form as to show the entire section, subsection, or paragraph, as the case may be, as it will read if the proposed amendment is adopted, with any change in the language italicized if new or bracketed if deleted.

(c) *Reference to Jurisprudence and Laws Committee.* Every proposed amendment shall be referred to the Jurisprudence and Laws Committee, which shall consider it and report thereon to the meeting.

(d) *Modification.* A proposed amendment may be modified in any manner at the meeting while it is under consideration, but the modification must be germane to the subject matter of the proposed amendment.

(e) *Adoption.* A proposed amendment to these By-laws may be adopted only upon the affirmative vote of not fewer than 2/3rds of the members registered at the meeting.

§ 501.3 **Revision.** Within 30 days after each annual meeting the General Counsel shall prepare a revision of the articles or sections amended, deleted or included, and appropriate annotations. He shall submit them to the Chairman of the Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws and the Chairman of the Board of Directors, who shall approve or disapprove the form of the revision and annotations within 10 days thereafter. The Secretary shall print the revision and annotations so they may be inserted in copies of these By-laws and distribute them as directed by the Board of Directors.

§ 501.4 **Rules of Order.** Unless otherwise provided by resolution or By-laws, parliamentary procedure shall be governed by Robert's Rules of Order.

ARTICLE 2

Name, Jurisdiction and Seal

§ 502.1 **Name.** The name of this corporation shall be "SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN."

§ 502.2 **Jurisdiction.** The jurisdiction of this corporation shall be that set forth in the Articles of Incorporation as amended from time to time.

§ 502.3 **Seal.** The seal of this corporation consists of 2 concen-

tric circles between the circumferences of which are the words "Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children." Within the innermost circle is a panther-bodied female sphinx superimposed upon a pyramid, and the words "State of Colorado." Rays extend outward from all sides of the pyramid, the words "North America" are along its 2 upper sides, and the date "June 6, 1876" is beneath it.

ARTICLE 3

Powers

- § 503.1 **Powers in Articles of Incorporation.** The powers, objects and purposes of this corporation are those set forth in the Articles of Incorporation, as amended from time to time.
- § 503.2 **Additional Hospitals.** Additional hospital units may be constructed or acquired only after express authority has been given by a majority of the members registered at an annual meeting of this corporation.
- § 503.3 **Hospital Regulations.** The regulations for the construction, acquisition, maintenance, control and operation of hospitals shall be promulgated by the Board of Trustees; and shall provide for a local Board of Governors for each hospital and for a Chief of Staff of each hospital who is a qualified surgeon.
- § 503.4 **Employment of Agents, Employees or Independent Contractors.** The Boards of Directors and Trustees respectively shall employ such agents, employees or independent contractors as may be necessary to conduct the business and affairs of this corporation under their respective control, except as otherwise provided in these By-laws.

ARTICLE 4

Membership

- § 504.1 **Election of Members.**
- (a) The members of this corporation are its present members, its officers, and other Nobles elected to membership at the annual meetings of this corporation.
- (b) For the purpose of providing its Committees with members possessing particular talents or knowledge in any field of endeavor, and at the request of the Chairmen of the Boards of

Directors and Trustees, the Board of Directors may elect any Noble a member of this corporation.

- § 504.2 **Termination of Membership.** Membership of any Noble in this corporation shall be terminated for failure to attend the annual meetings, by majority vote of the members at the annual meeting of this corporation.

ARTICLE 5

Meetings

- § 505.1 **Annual Meetings.** This corporation shall meet annually at the time and place determined by a majority of the members in attendance at the previous meeting.
- § 505.2 **Special Meetings.** In an emergency the Chairman of the Board of Directors may call a special meeting of this corporation. He shall do so when requested by a majority of the Board of Directors or by 100 members.
- § 505.3 **Notice of Meetings.** Notice of all meetings of this corporation shall be given by the Secretary, stating the time, place, general purpose, and every proposed amendment to these By-laws, by mailing a copy thereof to the Potentate of each Temple and to any member who furnishes his address for such purpose, and by publication of a notice not more than 30 days nor less than 10 days before the meeting, stating only the time, place and general purpose in a newspaper in general circulation in Denver, Colorado.
- § 505.4 **Record of Attendance at Meetings.** The Secretary shall provide for registration of members in attendance at all meetings and shall keep the record thereof.
- § 505.5 **Joint Meetings with other Organizations.** If convenient, meetings of this corporation may be held jointly with meetings of any other organization.
- § 505.6 **Required Vote for Transaction of Business.** All questions shall be determined by majority vote, except as otherwise provided in these By-laws. The presiding officer shall not be entitled to vote except in cases of equal division, when he shall have the deciding vote.

- § 505.7 **Quorum.** A quorum consists of 100 members, 75 of whom must be from different Temples.

ARTICLE 6

Board of Directors

- § 506.1 **Number.** The Board of Directors consists of 15 members of this corporation.
- § 506.2 **Election and Term.** Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of this corporation and shall serve until their successors are elected and have accepted.
- § 506.3 **Qualifications.** The Imperial Officers, the Junior Past Imperial Potentate and the Chairman of the Board of Trustees shall be elected directors unless other members are duly nominated and elected at the annual meeting of this corporation.
- § 506.4 **Vacancies.** Vacancies in the Board of Directors resulting from death, resignation or otherwise, do not affect its powers but shall be filled by election at the next meeting of this corporation.
- § 506.5 **Quorum.** A quorum consists of a majority of the Directors.
- § 506.6 **Meetings; Notice and Waiver**
- (a) The Board of Directors shall meet on call of its Chairman. He shall call a meeting when requested by a majority of the Directors.
- (b) The Secretary shall give not less than 3 days' written or telegraphic notice to each Director of the time and place of any meeting. Notice may be waived in writing.
- § 506.7 **Powers and Duties.** The Board of Directors has control, authority and management of all business affairs of this corporation, unless delegated to others in these By-laws. In the event that an annual meeting of this corporation is not held because of a national emergency, the Board of Directors may adopt, approve or amend all necessary budgets to carry on the corporation business and affairs without interruption.
- § 506.8 **Joint Meetings with Board of Trustees; Presiding Officer.** The Board of Directors may meet jointly with the Board of Trustees. On request of any director or Trustee the vote on

any matter coming before the joint meeting shall be separately taken and recorded with respect to the separate action of the respective Boards. At joint meetings the presiding officer shall be either the Chairman of the Board of Directors or Chairman of the Board of Trustees, depending upon the subject matter under consideration. In the event of disagreement regarding jurisdiction of the subject matter under consideration, another member of either Board may be selected to preside by a majority in number of the members of the Boards who are present.

ARTICLE 7

Officers

§ 507.1 **Titles and Qualifications.** The officers of this corporation, all of whom must be Directors, are:

- (a) Chairman of the Board of Directors
- (b) President
- (c) 1st Vice-President
- (d) 2nd Vice-President
- (e) Treasurer
- (f) Secretary
- (g) Assistant Secretary.

§ 507.2 **Election.** The Imperial Potentate shall be Chairman of the Board of Directors and all other officers shall be elected at each annual meeting of this corporation.

§ 507.3 **Vacancies.** Any vacancy in office resulting from death, resignation, or otherwise, shall be filled for the balance of the term by appointment by the then highest ranking officer in office with the consent of a majority of the Board of Directors.

§ 507.4 **Duties of Officers.**

(a) *Chairman of the Board of Directors.* The Chairman of the Board of Directors has the following duties:

- (1) He presides at all meetings of the members and Board of Directors.
- (2) He appoints a General Counsel and an Auditor with the consent of a majority of the Board of Directors.
- (3) He appoints committees as provided in § 510.1.

(4) He is the chief executive officer, acting for the Board of Directors, in all matters under control of the Board.

(b) *President.* The President has the following duties:

(1) He is Chairman of the Board of Trustees and presides at all meetings of the Board of Trustees.

(2) He is the chief executive officer, acting for the Board of Trustees, in all matters under control of the Board.

(3) He prepares and presents at all annual meetings of this corporation a report of matters pertaining to the operations and transactions of the Hospitals.

(4) He supervises the staff, operations and building or rehabilitation programs of the Hospitals.

(5) He appoints committees as provided in § 510.1.

(6) He performs such other duties as are delegated or assigned to him by the Board of Directors.

(c) *Vice Presidents.* The Vice Presidents, in the order of their rank, perform the duties of Chairman of the Board of Directors in his absence or during disability if a majority of the Board of Directors determines that the Chairman is disabled, and such other duties as are assigned to each by the Board of Directors.

(d) *Treasurer.* The Treasurer has the following duties:

(1) To arrange at the General Offices of this corporation for the collection and receipt of all monies of the corporation and the deposit thereof in such depositories as the Board of Directors may from time to time approve.

(2) To arrange at the General Offices of this corporation for the payment of its obligations by voucher checks signed by 3 officers of this corporation designated by the Board of Directors.

(3) To arrange at the General Offices of this corporation for the transfer, liquidation, sale or deposit of the assets and property of this corporation as the Board of Directors shall direct.

(4) To arrange at the General Offices of this corporation for the maintenance of adequate and complete records and books of account of this corporation showing the details of:

(i) Its financial transactions, receipts and disbursements,

inventories of property and other assets, both real and personal, and depreciation;

(ii) Its true financial condition, investments, trusts and endowment funds, and the income therefrom; and

(iii) Its operating results, its income and sources thereof, and its salaries and expenses.

(5) To arrange at the General Offices of this corporation for the investment and reinvestment of its idle current funds in general obligation bonds and securities for which the faith and credit of the United States of America or Canada is pledged, both as to principal and interest, and for the purchase and sale thereof.

(6) As soon as practicable after the end of each calendar year, and oftener if requested by the Board of Directors or the Board of Trustees, he shall arrange for and submit:

(i) An annual statement of the financial condition of this corporation, its assets, trust and endowment funds, and reserves and sources thereof, and its liabilities and net worth;

(ii) An annual operating statement; and

(iii) Any other or supplementary report or statement necessary to disclose its true financial condition, the nature and current estimated value of its assets, its operating results, its income and the sources thereof, the status of its trust and endowment funds and the investment thereof, and the results of its investment operations.

(7) He may make recommendations to the Boards of Directors and Trustees with respect to improvement of methods in keeping records or additional records which should be maintained.

(8) He shall perform such other duties as are delegated or assigned to him by the Board of Directors.

(e) *Secretary.* The Secretary has the following duties:

(1) To arrange for and keep all minutes of meetings of this corporation, its directors, trustees and committees.

(2) To keep and maintain all contracts and records with respect to the affairs and operations of this corporation, its Hospitals, and its business transactions.

(3) To keep and maintain all other records customarily kept or required from time to time by the Board of Directors.

(4) To keep and maintain all budget control records.

(5) To supervise, direct and control the maintenance of all books of account and financial records and transactions at the General Offices of this corporation, and all personnel engaged in such work, unless such supervision, direction and control, or any part thereof, is otherwise assigned by action of the Board of Directors and approved by a majority of the members at any meeting of this corporation.

(6) He shall perform such other duties as are delegated or assigned to him by the Board of Directors.

(f) *Assistant Secretary.* The Assistant Secretary assists the Secretary, and shall perform all other duties assigned to him by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE 8

Board of Trustees

§ 508.1 **Number.** The Board of Trustees consists of 12 members of this corporation.

§ 508.2 **Election and Term.** The Imperial Potentate, Deputy Imperial Potentate, Imperial Chief Rabban, Imperial Treasurer and Junior Past Imperial Potentate, shall be members of the Board of Trustees, and shall be elected for a term of one year. The other 7 members shall be elected for terms of 3 years; 3 shall be elected every third year and 2 shall be elected in each of the intervening years. All shall be elected at annual meetings.

§ 508.3 **Vacancies.** Vacancies in the Board of Trustees, resulting from death, resignation, or otherwise, shall be filled until the next annual meeting of this corporation by appointment by the then highest ranking officer in office in the order set forth in § 507.1 with the approval of the Board of Directors. At the annual meeting the vacancy shall be filled by election for the unexpired term.

§ 508.4 **Vice-Chairman.** The Board of Trustees may elect a Vice-Chairman to preside in the absence of its Chairman.

§ 508.5 **Quorum.** A quorum consists of a majority of the Trustees.

§ 508.6 Meetings; Notice and Waiver.

(a) The Board of Trustees shall meet on call of its Chairman or on call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The Chairman of the Board of Trustees shall call a meeting when requested by a majority of the Trustees.

(b) The Secretary shall give not less than 3 days' written or telegraphic notice to each Trustee of the time and place of any meeting. Notice may be waived in writing.

§ 508.7 Powers and Duties. The Board of Trustees shall manage and operate all Hospitals now established, or that are hereafter established, and shall allocate and provide for the disbursement of funds necessary for the construction, acquisition, maintenance, control and operation of the Hospitals. The Board of Trustees shall make no commitments which cause a total annual outlay greater than the adopted budget unless approved by the Board of Directors. The Board of Trustees shall consult and advise with qualified surgeons of skill, ability and character, as to the maintenance and operation of the Hospitals.

§ 508.8 Trustee Emeritus. Except as to those serving as a Trustee on July 1, 1964, a member shall not be eligible for election who has passed his 72nd birthday. A Trustee who is retired by reason of his age shall be elevated to the position of Trustee Emeritus. A Trustee Emeritus receives all notices of meetings and may participate in discussions, but he may not vote.

§ 508.9 Joint Meetings with Board of Directors. Joint meetings of the Boards of Trustees and Directors may be held pursuant to the provisions of § 506.8.

ARTICLE 9***Admission to Hospitals*****§ 509.1 Eligibility.**

(a) Pay patients shall not be admitted to any Hospital.

(b) Admission to any Hospital shall not be determined by race, color, religion, creed, sect or sex.

§ 509.2 Applications. All patients shall be admitted in the order of and upon the individual merits of their application.

§ 509.3 Sponsors. Any Noble may sponsor an application.

ARTICLE 10***Standing and Special Committees***

§ 510.1 **Standing Committees.** At the close of each annual meeting the following standing committees shall be appointed:

(a) By the Chairman of the Board of Directors who shall designate the Chairman of each:

(1) *The Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws* shall consist of not more than 7 members of this corporation who are learned and experienced in the law. To this Committee shall be referred all propositions to revise, alter or amend the Articles of Incorporation or By-laws, and all other resolutions offered at any meeting of this corporation; and it shall report thereon in writing to the meeting.

(2) *The Committee on Finance and Accounts* shall consist of not more than 7 qualified members of this corporation. This Committee shall prepare the budget for the business and affairs of this corporation. The Board of Directors or Board of Trustees, or both, shall submit the budget to the annual meeting of this corporation for approval. This Committee shall report to the next annual meeting any departures from the budget and the reasons therefor.

(3) *The Committee on Investments* shall consist of 7 qualified members of this corporation. Two shall be Trustees and 2 others shall be Directors. In order to provide staggered terms, the terms of 3 members first appointed shall be designated for 3 years; 2 designated for 2 years; and 2 designated for 1 year. The successor of each shall be appointed for a term of 3 years. If a vacancy occurs another member of this corporation shall be appointed for the unexpired term. The members of this committee who were in office in July, 1964, shall serve until the expiration of the term for which they were appointed in 1963.

The duties of this Committee are:

(i) To consider and approve depositories for trust and endowment funds;

(ii) To scan and report to the Boards of Directors and Trustees on all assets, at least once each year, including comparative operating results of the investment institutions,

and appreciation, depreciation and income realized on invested funds;

(iii) To allocate and invest available funds, and determine the investment policies to be pursued with regard to all property and assets; and

(iv) To organize a sub-committee of 3 members of this corporation for the purpose of investigating and recommending corporate institutions exercising banking, trust and management powers from which the Investment Committee shall select institutions for the management of all funds of this corporation.

(b) By the Chairman of the Board of Directors who shall appoint 3 members and by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees who shall appoint 4 members:

(1) *The Committee on Buildings and Equipment* shall consist of 7 members who investigate and make recommendations to the Boards of Directors and Trustees with respect to buildings, improvements and equipment. It is charged with the duty of, and responsibility for, supervising all building and equipment projects.

(2) The Chairman of this Committee shall be designated by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

(c) By the Chairman of the Board of Trustees who shall designate the chairman of each:

(1) *The Committee on Hospital Regulations* shall consist of 3 Trustees who make recommendations to the Board of Trustees with respect to regulations for the operation of the Hospitals, the control and supervision of the staffs thereof, and standards to be observed.

(2) *The Committee on Salaries, Personnel and Retirement* shall consist of 3 Trustees who make recommendations to the Board of Trustees with respect to salaries, personnel and retirements.

§ 510.2 Special Committees. The Chairman of the Board of Directors or the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, as the situation may require, may appoint any special committees advisable for the orderly conduct of the business and affairs of this corporation under the control of their respective Boards.

ARTICLE 11***Fiscal and Legal***

- § **511.1 Bonds.** At the expense of this corporation, fidelity bonds shall be obtained, from a surety company and in a form and amount approved by the Chairman of the Board of Directors and the General Counsel, indemnifying this corporation against losses resulting from infidelity, defalcation, and misappropriation by officers, employees and agents, of funds, property and securities owned by or under the control of this corporation.
- § **511.2 Checks and Payment or Transfer of Funds.** Funds on deposit in banks shall be withdrawn by voucher check, upon the signature of any 3 officers of this corporation authorized by the Board of Directors to draw or countersign checks; but funds may be transferred from one depository to another by written or telegraphic order of any officer so authorized by the Board of Directors.
- § **511.3 Imprest Account.** The Board of Directors may establish a special account, not exceeding \$10,000.00, for the prompt payment of expenses and obligations, employing the imprest system, and authorize checks to be drawn thereon upon the signature of any one officer.
- § **511.4 Auditor and Audit Report.** The auditor shall be a Noble and a Certified or Chartered Public Accountant. Before May 1st of each year he shall audit the accounts and records of this corporation in the manner and to the extent prescribed by the Board of Directors. The Auditor in his certificate shall state the extent of and any limitations in his audit and examination; and, subject to such stated limitations, shall certify the correctness of the accounts and records of this corporation. The audit report setting forth the statements, together with his verification as to correctness, shall be printed and a copy sent at least 30 days before the annual meeting along with the notice of the meeting of this corporation, to the Potentate of each Temple and to any member who furnishes his address for such purpose. Other copies shall be made available at or before the annual meeting to any member requesting the same. On request, the details of all transactions for the audited year shall be made available to any member.

§ **511.5 General Counsel.** The General Counsel shall be a Noble and a member of the Bar who is learned and experienced in the law. He shall advise and consult with the officers, Directors and Trustees of this corporation, render legal advice and assistance as required to properly transact its business, and perform other duties delegated to him. He has the right to the floor at any meeting of this corporation for explanatory purposes. He has charge and control of and is responsible to the Board of Directors for the conduct and handling of all legal matters coming to his attention. All of his files, records and documents shall be maintained under his control in the space and location provided and ordered by the Board of Directors, and shall belong to the corporation.

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